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IN 1624 the first settlement within the confines of the present Empire State of New York was made by the Dutch West India Company at Fort Orange (now Albany). In 1626 other colonists arrived at Manhattan Island with Peter Minuit, and in that year there had been effected its settlement, the purchase of the island from the Indians, and consolidation of all families in New Netherland at the southern end, which was called Fort Amsterdam. This settlement was never wholly disintegrated. It was never abandoned. In these beginnings are rooted the origin of the City of New York.

For several years prior to the year 1926, there was great expectancy among numerous organizations of men and women, historically minded, that the year 1926 would produce a climax of celebrations in the city and under official auspices worthy of the leading city of the western hemisphere. Working drawings for exhibitions and pageantry had been completed for use on several floors of the Grand Central Palace, where for a month or more it was designed to corral thousands of visitors and focus attention upon the great birthday of the city. Not only did this feature of a celebration die still-born, but no other significant observance of the city's attainment in the historical firmament was carried out.

The exhibition in the Main Exhibition Room of the Library was prepared in coördination with the expected celebrations. It turned out to be an event by itself, as well as the only one from which the public could derive an understanding of the foundations of New York history. It was arranged in forty-five flat showcases and on sixteen sides of upright standards. The exhibition was organized systematically. The arrangement of one-half was primarily bibliographical, regional, and topical. The other half was particularly chronological, from the first recorded discovery of New York Harbor by Verrazzano in 1524 to the end of the Dutch jurisdiction in 1674,

or a period of one hundred and fifty years. The materials out of which the historian must reconstruct this past were displayed in a remarkably complete series, which included original Dutch records and other manuscripts, contemporary maps and views, rare early publications and numerous modern books and pamphlets.

It would be unfitting to close this note without an expression of thanks to the American Numismatic Society, the Pierpont Morgan Library, and Bronson Winthrop, Esq., for the items lent by them and described in detail in the list below.

The list preserves the record of the display cards and titles of the items that were shown.

The exhibition began on March 22d, and continued through September 6th (Labor Day), registering a total of 80,899 visitors.

CONSPECTUS OF THE EXHIBITION

BIBLIOGRAPHY

MULLER, FREDERIK, Amsterdam

Catalogue of books relating to America, including a large number of rare works printed before 1700, amongst which a nearly complete collection of the Dutch publications on New-Netherland, from 1612 to 1820. [Amsterdam, 1850.]

ASHER, GEORG MICHAEL

A bibliographical and historical essay on the Dutch books and pamphlets relating to New-Netherland and to the Dutch West-India Company. Amsterdam, 1854–67.

Still an indispensable guide to every student of the history of New York under the Dutch.

TIELE, PIETER ANTON

Nederlandsche bibliographie van land- en volkenkunde. Amsterdam, 1884.

The titles relating to New Netherland add nothing new to the earlier *Bibliographical essay* by Asher.

RIJKSMUSEUM VAN OUDHEDEN, Leiden

The Pilgrim fathers. Exhibition of documents from public and private collections at Leiden relating to the Dutch settlements in North-America. August, 1888. [Leiden, 1888.]

Prepared on the occasion of the visit of members of the Holland Society of New York to Holland in 1888.

A list of Dutch Americana fills p. 19–28.

This catalogue is also inserted in the *Year book* of the Holland Society of New York for 1888–89, between p. 80 and 81.

FLAGG, CHARLES ALLCOTT, and JUDSON T. JENNINGS

Bibliography of New York colonial history. Albany, 1901.

A useful and practical reference guide to the printed materials relating to the Dutch and English periods to 1776, though not particularly accurate in spots.

Published by the New York State Library as Bulletin — Bibliography 24.

Bibliography, continued

THE NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY
Check list of works relating to the history (general, political, etc.) of the City of New York in The New York Public Library.
In: *Bulletin*, v. 5 (1901), p. 97–127.
Shows what the Library had in 1901. Considerably augmented since that date.

Check list of maps and atlases relating to the City of New York, 1610–1900, in The New York Public Library.
In: *Bulletin*, v. 5 (1901), p. 60–73.
Shows what the Library had in 1901. Considerably augmented since that date.

VAN STOCKUM'S ANTIQUARIAAT, The Hague
A catalogue of rare Dutch pamphlets relating to New Netherland and to the Dutch West- and East-India Companies. The Hague, 1911.

THE NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY
New York City and the development of trade; a reading list. New York, 1914.
For popular use.

NIJHOFF, MARTINUS
The Hollanders in America. A choice collection of books, maps and pamflets. The Hague, 1925.
Issued as his Catalogue 518.

MACKAY, CONSTANCE D'ARCY
Suggestions for the dramatic celebration of the 300th anniversary of the purchase of Manhattan, 1626–1926. Typewritten manuscript.
Compiled and arranged for the Community Drama Service of The Playground and Recreation Association of America.

ANDREWS, WILLIAM LORING
New Amsterdam, New Orange, New York. New York, 1897.
The first iconographic guide prepared for collectors of prints of New York City.
Copperplates by E. D. French.
Edition limited to 30 copies on Imperial Japan paper and 170 on American hand-made paper.

GROLIER CLUB, New York
A catalogue of plans and views of New York City from 1651 to 1860 exhibited at the Grolier Club, December, 1897. New York, 1897.

ANDREWS, WILLIAM LORING
The iconography of the Battery and Castle Garden. New York, 1901.

THE NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY
Check list of engraved views of the City of New York in The New York Public Library.
In: *Bulletin*, v. 5 (1901), p. 222–226.
Shows what the Library had in 1901. Considerably augmented since that date.

COLONIAL ORDER OF THE ACORN — NEW YORK CHAPTER
Views of early New York. New York, 1904.
Copperplate reproductions by Edwin Davis French include the Hartgers, Montanus, and Allard views.
Edition limited to 213 copies.

FRIDENBERG, ROBERT, editor
Illustrated catalogue of the notable collection of views of New York and other American cities formed by Mr. Percy R. Pyne 2d. Catalogue descriptions written by Mr. Robert Fridenberg. New York [1917].
Special edition prepared in connection with the sale of the collection by the American Art Association.

Bibliography, continued

JORDAN, JOSHUA HAWKINS

Catalogue of a loan exhibition of rare views of old New York. New York, 1909.

The exhibit was held at the Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Company.

WEITENKAMPF, FRANK

The Eno collection of New York City views. New York, 1925. Illustrated.

Catalogue of the collection presented to The New York Public Library by Amos F. Eno. Separate issue from *Bulletin*, v. 25, p. 327–354, 385–435.

RECORD GUIDES

O'CALLAGHAN, EDMUND BAILEY, editor.

Calendar of N. Y. colonial manuscripts, indorsed land papers; in the office of the Secretary of State of New York. 1643–1803. Albany, 1864.

It is an inventory to an important series of 63 large volumes of original manuscripts, consisting of documents, maps, surveys, etc., upon which grants of land were made, preserved in the Land Office of the Secretary of the State of New York, Albany.

Calendar of historical manuscripts in the office of the Secretary of State, Albany, N. Y. Albany, 1865–66. 2 v.

Part I — Dutch manuscripts, 1630–1664.

Part II — English manuscripts, 1664–1776.

These calendars have brief entries, more in the nature of an inventory. Since many of the original records to which they relate were burned in the Albany Capitol fire of March, 1911, the calendars have now peculiar interest, though they are not nearly accurate.

Index to volumes one, two and three of translations of Dutch manuscripts. Albany, 1870.

This printed index relates to translations that O'Callaghan made of Dutch manuscripts in the archives of the State of New York. Some of these translations as well as the original records were destroyed in the Albany Capitol fire of March, 1911.

HOLLAND SOCIETY OF NEW YORK

Dutch West India Company manuscripts.

In: *Year book* for 1892, p. 150–152.

BANTA, THEODORE MELVIN

Dutch records in the City Clerk's Office, New York. New York, 1900

It is a special edition limited to 20 copies. First appeared in *Year-book* of The Holland Society of New York for 1900.

Important for the location of real estate in New Amsterdam.

HOLLAND SOCIETY OF NEW YORK

Dutch records in the City Clerk's Office, New York.

In: *Year book* for 1900, p. 110–182, and for 1901, p. 121–176.

FERNOW, BERTHOLD, AND A. J. F. VAN LAER

Calendar of Council minutes, 1668–1783. Albany, 1902.

This is a calendar of the English Executive Council minutes of the province of New York, issued as History bulletin 6 by the New York State Library.

HOLLAND SOCIETY OF NEW YORK

Inventory and digest of early church records in the library of the society.

In: *Year book* for 1912, p. 1–51, 206–207.

Record Guides, continued

CORWIN, EDWARD TANJORE

Recent researches in Holland and the ecclesiastical records of the State of New York. Read Dec. 28, 1906. In: *Papers* of the American Society of Church History, series 2, v. 1 (1908), p. 43–66.

Also issued separately, and in the reprint of the *Papers*, 1913, p. 51–78. The author also contributed a similar article to the *Journal* of the Presbyterian Historical Society, v. 1 (1901–02), p. 161–188.

DOCUMENTARY COLLECTIONS

KELBY, ROBERT HENDRE

The New York Historical Society. 1804–1904. New York, 1905.

The history of this venerable society and a list of its publications, many of which are shown throughout the present exhibition.

NEW YORK HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Proceedings for 1843–1849. New York, 1844–49. 7 v.

The principal articles relating to New Netherland and Manhattan Island are: De Witt's New Netherland (1844); Brodhead's observations respecting two ancient maps of New Netherland (1845); De Rasière's letter and portions of Wassenaer (1847); George H. Moore's Peter Minuit (1849).

O'CALLAGHAN, EDMUND BAILEY, editor

The documentary history of the State of New-York. Albany, 1849–51. 4 v. 8°.

There is also an edition in 4 v. in 4°, published in 1850–51. Of the two editions the quarto is to be preferred.

Among the papers printed here are texts relating to the Indians, to early settlements, and to New York City or parts thereof.

Documents relative to the colonial history of the State of New York, procured in Holland, England and France by John Romeyn Brodhead. Albany, 1856–61. 10 v. and index.

Continued or supplemented by v. 12–15, edited by Berthold Fernow, from archives in possession of the State of New York. Albany, 1877–83.

The Holland documents in v. 1 and 2 of the O'Callaghan series have peculiar value for the history of New Netherland. There are some early items in the English documents that bear upon the Dutch occupation. The three volumes collected and edited by Fernow relate principally to settlements on the Hudson, on Long Island, and on the Delaware, though some documents bear also upon Manhattan Island history. A volume devoted to Manhattan Island was planned but never prepared for publication.

VALENTINE, DAVID THOMAS, AND OTHERS, editors.

Manual of the corporation of the City of New York, commonly known as Valentine's Manual, 1841–2 to 1870. 28 v.

The volumes to 1866, inclusive, were edited by David T. Valentine, Clerk of the Common Council; those of 1868 and 1869 were issued by J. Shannon, and 1870 by John Hardy. No *Manuals* were published for the calendar years 1846 and 1867.

Each volume contains a record of the year's administration of the city. This once despised material has become the soundest evidence for the historian and economist.

The supplementary materials, embracing contributed historical articles, extracts, translations from or copies of records, etc., are less sound; because the texts are often not copied correctly, and deductions of contributors are too often untrustworthy. This mass of unsystematic material, in the hitherto uncritical use of it, has done much to discredit the

Documentary Collections, continued

VALENTINE, DAVID THOMAS, AND OTHERS, *continued*

written history of Manhattan Island during the Dutch and English periods.

A complete set in perfect condition exhibited, the volumes opened to subjects related to the Dutch régime and earliest English period.

An index to the historical additions was published by Otto Hufeland in 1900, and lists of the illustrations appeared in the Manuals of 1857 and 1863, in Pasko's *Old New York*, v. 1, and more particularly in a separate volume published by the Society of Iconophiles in 1906.

TOPOGRAPHY — LAND RIGHTS — STREETS, ETC.

MACAULEY, JAMES

The natural, statistical and civil history of the State of New-York. New York, 1829. 3 v.

The first volume is devoted to physiography and natural history; the second to the Indians and to general history to 1750. The third continues to the period of publication.

Severely compilatory and a strange medley, viewed in the light of modern knowledge.

COZZENS, ISSACHAR, JR.

A geological history of Manhattan or New York Island. New York, 1843.

The earliest separate monograph on the subject.

HOFFMAN, MURRAY

A treatise upon the estate and rights of the corporation of the City of New York, as proprietors. New York, 1853.

This is the first edition. Here appeared a fictitious view of Hudson's ship at anchor, September 13, 1609. At p. 320 there is a folded plan of grants as far north as the Fresh Water.

Superseded by the second edition in 1862.

Treatise upon the estate and rights of the corporation of the City of New York, as proprietor. New York, 1862. 2 v.

Second edition. Materially revised in its historical and legal data. The second volume is an "Appendix" of notes and diagrams.

HOFFMAN, MURRAY, *continued*

Valuable for tracing the development of the water front and for studying the city's jurisdiction over streets, ferries, and markets.

VIELE, EGBERT LUDOVICKUS

The topography and hydrology of New York. New York, 1865.

Contains a large topographical map showing the original watercourses and made land of Manhattan Island. This map is exhibited in a related upright case.

Reissued on five sheets in 1874.

GERARD, JAMES WATSON, JR.

A treatise on the title of the corporation and others to the streets, wharves, piers, parks, ferries, and other lands and franchises in the City of New York. New York, 1872.

An important guide to the evolution of title in the city of New York.

Includes ancient streets and roads.

The old streets of New York under the Dutch. New York, 1874.

A paper read before the New York Historical Society.

POST, JOHN J.

Old streets, roads, lanes, piers and wharves of New York, showing the former and present names. New York, 1882.

A useful street catalogue.

Topography — Land Rights — Streets, etc., continued

ARNOUX, WILLIAM HENRY

The Dutch in America. New York, 1890.

This historical argument was presented to the Court of Appeals of the State of New York in the Third Avenue Elevated R. R. case with respect to the ownership of the streets and the rights or easements therein.

BLACK, GEORGE ASHTON

The history of municipal ownership of land on Manhattan Island. New York, 1891.

A scientific monograph which traces the municipal ownership of land from the grants to the city in 1658 to the ordinance of 1844.

Issued as v. 1, no. 3 of the *Columbia University studies in history, economics and public law.*

HILL, GEORGE EVERETT, and G. E. WARING, JR.

Old wells and water-courses of the island of Manhattan. [New York, cop. 1897.]

Issued as series 1, nos. 10 and 11 of the *Half Moon series. Papers on historic New York.*

SMITH, FLOYD R., and A. C. PERRY, JR.

Geography of New York; the state — the city. New York [cop. 1904].

A school text-book in which there is included a sketch of the early history. It has pictures that are fanciful or bogus.

PETERSON, ARTHUR EVERETT

Landmarks of New York. An historical guide to the metropolis. New York, 1923.

Published by the City History Club of New York.

EMERSON, FREDERICK VALENTINE

A geographic interpretation of New York City.

In: *Bulletin* of American Geographical Society, v. 40 and 41 (1908–09).

Also published separately.

UNITED STATES. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

Geologic atlas — New York City folio. Washington, D. C., 1902.

Besides the maps which show the geological composition of the earth's surface on and around Manhattan Island, there is an accompanying text. Thoroughly scientific. In a related upright case are shown the historical and surficial sheets of the geology of Greater New York.

HOBBS, WILLIAM HERBERT

The configuration of the rock floor of Greater New York. Washington, 1905.

Issued as Bulletin no. 270 of the U. S. Geological Survey.

Has geological information of great value to construction engineers with respect to excavations and foundations.

GRATACAP, LOUIS POPE

Geology of the City of New York. New York, 1909.

This is the third edition, enlarged. It was first published in small form in 1901. In this enlarged form it has 65 illustrations and four geological maps of Manhattan Island, and an astounding list of the rocks and minerals of which the island is composed.

KELLEY, FRANK BERGEN

Historical guide to the City of New York. New York [1913].

Revised edition. Prepared for the City History Club of New York.

THE INDIANS OF MANHATTAN ISLAND AND ELSEWHERE

New Netherland Papers

Extract from a private letter of Director-General Stuyvesant to the Directors at Amsterdam. November 7, 1655.

He says the Dutch are stirring up the Indians in New Netherland and that he himself is called "the great Sachem with the wooden leg."

Megapolensis, Joannes, Jr.

A short sketch of the Mohawk Indians in New Netherland.

Translated into English for Hazard's *Historical collections*, v. 1 (1792), and revised for New York Historical Society's *Collections*, series 2, v. 3, part 1 (1857).

The original Dutch tract was printed in 1644 and only two copies are known. The English version follows a reprint of the Dutch text in *Beschrijvinghe van Virginia*, 1651.

Benson, Egbert

Memoir, read before the Historical Society of the State of New-York, 31st December, 1816. New York, 1817.

Memoir on Dutch and Indian names in New Netherland.

Memoir read before the Historical Society of the State of New York, December 31, 1816. Second edition, with notes. Jamaica, 1825.

Also reprinted from a copy with the author's last corrections, in *Collections* of New York Historical Society, series 2, v. 1, part 1 (1848), p. 77–148.

Beauchamp, William Martin

Aboriginal place names of New York. Albany, 1907.

Forms Bulletin 108 (Archeology 12) of the New York State Museum.

A handy and useful work.

O'Callaghan, Edmund Bailey, translator

A brief and true narrative of the hostile conduct of the barbarous natives towards the Dutch nation. Albany, 1863.

A petition from New Netherland, dated October 31, 1655. On p. 21–48 there are illustrative documents, as the treaty with the Indians of August, 1645, and pieces of 1655–1656.

Tooker, William Wallace

The origin of the name Manhattan, with historical and ethnological notes. New York, 1901. (Algonquian series. no. 1.)

It is here revised and enlarged.

The author concludes that the name was derived from Manahatin, the oldest form, and is descriptive, signifying "the island of hills."

Ruttenber, Edward Manning

Footprints of the Red Men. Indian geographical names in the valley of Hudson's River. Newburgh, 1906.

In: *Proceedings* of New York State Historical Association, v. 6 (1906). There was also a separate issue.

Manhattan and its local names on p. 13ff.

Johnson, Edward Payson

The friendly relations of the Indians and early Dutch settlers of the upper Hudson.

In: *Year book* of the Holland Society of New York for 1907, p. 121–137.

The Indians of Manhattan Island and Elsewhere, continued

SKINNER, ALANSON

The Indians of Manhattan Island and vicinity. New York, 1909.

Issued by the American Museum of Natural History as an exhibition *Guide leaflet*, no. 29, in connection with the Hudson-Fulton Celebration, September, 1909.

WISSLER, CLARK, editor

The Indians of Greater New York and the lower Hudson. New York, 1909.

Forms *Anthropological papers*, v. 3, of the American Museum of Natural History.

Includes The Lenapé Indians of Staten Island, by Alanson Skinner; Aboriginal remains on Manhattan Island, by James K. Finch; The Indians of Washington Heights, by R. P. Bolton.

ATKINS, THOMAS ASTLEY

Relations of the Dutch and the Indians prior to the massacre of 1655. In: *Proceedings* of New York State Historical Association, v. 9 (1910), p. 237–255.

SKINNER, ALANSON

The Indians of Greater New York. Cedar Rapids, Iowa, 1915.

A readable as well as interesting portrayal of the subject; treats also of the archæology of the Indians in the greater city.

Forms no. 3 of a series called *Little histories of North American Indians*.

ARMBRUSTER, EUGENE L.

The Indians of New England and New Netherland. [New York,] 1918.

Issued in an edition of 200 copies.

NEW NETHERLAND — GENERAL WORKS

SMITH, WILLIAM

The history of the province of New-York. London, 1757.

First general history of New York.

MOULTON, JOSEPH WHITE

History of the State of New-York including its aboriginal and colonial annals. New-York, 1824–26. 2 v.

Part 2 is entitled: *Novum Belgium*.

These volumes have been responsible for numerous errors in New York history. They can be used only by specialists with great caution. Yates, whose name is also given on the title of v. 1, wrote none of them.

DUNLAP, WILLIAM

History of the New Netherlands [*sic*], province of New York, and state of New York. New York, 1839–40. 2 v.

Of very little use now.

LAMBRECHTSEN, NICOLAAS CORNELIS

Korte beschrijving van de ontdekking en der verdere lotgevallen van Nieuw-Nederland. Middelburg, 1818.

An excellent treatise for so early a date, as it was mainly written in 1813–1815. The author made good use of Dutch sources then almost unknown to American writers.

In 1819 an English translation was made by François Adriaan van der Kemp, which, with notes added, was printed in *Collections* of the New York Historical Society, series 2, v. 1 (1841), p. 75–123.

WATSON, JOHN FANNING

Historic tales of olden time: concerning the early settlement and advancement of New-York City and State. New York, 1832.

A book based in the main on his earlier work written in 1828 and Moulton's *His-*

New Netherland — General Works, continued

WATSON, JOHN FANNING, *continued*

torical notices. Some of the pictures are stupid, as "Fort Amsterdam Village — 1623"; Stuyvesant on horseback, and the Stadt Huys or City Hall put down as "built 1602."

WATSON, JOHN FANNING

Annals and occurrences of New York City and State, in the olden time. Philadelphia, 1846.

This work has many errors, judged in the light of modern knowledge. If used critically it may still serve here and there. A chapter on "Ancient memorials" is suggestive of the value of documentary materials. Some of the pictures are fanciful and therefore to be avoided. Part of the text was written in 1828 as an appendix to his *Annals of Philadelphia*, or is taken from his *Historic tales of olden time* (New York, 1832).

"The reader of the present day will find the book worthless, except for an occasional fact which he may need to complete some picture of life and personalities of a past time." — Professor Herbert L. Osgood, in Larned's *Literature of American history*, p. 374.

PROPOSALS for publishing, by subscription, the second volume of the History of New Netherland, by E. B. O'Callaghan, M. D.

Printed subscription form, not filled in.

O'CALLAGHAN, EDMUND BAILEY

History of New Netherland; or, New York under the Dutch. New York, 1846–48. 2 v.

Dr. O'Callaghan was the first historian to write a history of New Netherland derived from a mass of original sources in the archives of the State of New York, in England, and in Holland. He was the first to explore and use the Rensselaerswyck papers.

The publication of these volumes, the labor of years, netted no pay to the author.

v. 1 takes the history through 1646; v. 2 covers 1647–1664.

O'CALLAGHAN, EDMUND BAILEY, *continued*

The appendices of both volumes contain documents.

There is an issue in which both volumes are dated 1848; also a second edition of 1855.

The author's set with numerous revisions, etc., intended for a new edition, revealing new sources of information, is also exhibited.

The Register of New Netherland; 1626–1674. Albany, 1865.

It is a civil list, with some introductory annals of New Netherland.

BRODHEAD, JOHN ROMEYN

History of the State of New York. New York, 1853–71. 2 v.

A constructive work of great value and accurately written from primary sources, many of which had never been used before by historians. In the early period it is now subject to revision. A second edition of v. 1 appeared in 1859. This is also shown. Manuscript for a third volume was prepared, but never printed, and is now lost.

SCHUYLER, GEORGE WASHINGTON

Colonial New York; Philip Schuyler and his family. New York, 1885. 2 v.

Principally a Schuyler genealogy.

The introduction, in three parts, discusses patroonships in New Netherland, the Dutch on the Delaware, and the relations of New Netherland with New England.

PAPERS relating to the first settlement of New York by the Dutch . . . and the description and first settlement of New Netherland. Edinburgh, 1888. 2 v.

Forms *Collectanea Adamantæa*, XXVII.

The title is misleading. v. 1 is a "List of the early immigrants," for 1657–1664, taken from the *Documentary history of New York*, and v. 2 has a description of New Netherland from Wassenaer.

New Netherland — General Works, continued

FERNOW, BERTHOLD

New Netherland, or the Dutch in North America.

In: Justin Winsor's *Narrative and critical history of America*, v. 4, p. 395–442, with a critical essay on the sources of information.

HOLLAND SOCIETY OF NEW YORK

Early immigrants to New Netherland. List of owners of lots in New Amsterdam.

In: *Year book* for 1896, p. 124–129, 167–177.

Passengers to New Netherland.

In: *Year book* for 1902, p. 1–37.

FISKE, JOHN

The Dutch and Quaker colonies in America. Boston and New York, 1903. 2 v.

This is the illustrated "de luxe" edition.

It was originally published without illustrations in 1899.

Always readable, but not always sound.

JAMESON, JOHN FRANKLIN, editor

Narratives of New Netherland, 1609–1664. New York, 1909. (Original narratives of early American history.)

The most important single volume of early source material for the history of New York during the Dutch régime. The documents have illuminating introductions, are annotated, and the English translations are better than those that were printed hitherto.

IRVING, WASHINGTON

The author's apology. Manuscript written at Sunnyside, 1848, by Washington Irving for his *History of New York* by Diedrich Knickerbocker.

GRIFFIS, WILLIAM ELLIOT

The story of New Netherland; the Dutch in America. Boston and New York, 1909.

A popular story.

The NEW NETHERLAND register. v. 1, no. 1–8 (1911). New York, 1911.

Published and edited by Dingman Versteeg. Devoted to the publication of material relating to the early history of New York. No more published.

IRVING, WASHINGTON

Original manuscript note book, dated 1808–1809. 40 pages, mainly for the Knickerbocker *History*. Full old rose levant slip case. Seligman Irving Collection.

Exposed pages have reference to the "majestic galley" of Peter Stuyvesant as it "plows up the majestic bosom of the Hudson."

Manuscript note book for Knickerbocker's *History* of New York, inscribed on inside cover "Book of Washington Irving of Sunnyside." Seligman Irving Collection.

The exposed pages refer to Stuyvesant, Van Rensselaer, Beeckman, and other Dutch worthies who figure in Irving's History.

A history of New York. By Diedrich Knickerbocker. New York, 1809. 2 v.

An uncut copy of the first edition of this literary skit on the Dutch in New York, in the original boards binding.

"A manuscript with learning fraught,
Or some nice pretty little skit
Upon the times, and full of wit."

VERPLANCK, GULIAN CROMMELIN

An anniversary discourse delivered before the New-York Historical Society, December 7, 1818. New York, 1818.

Contains a protest against Washington Irving's Knickerbocker *History*.

Reviewed in *North American review*, v. 8, p. 414–445.

NEW AMSTERDAM — GENERAL WORKS

MOULTON, JOSEPH WHITE

View of the City of New-Orange, (now New-York,) as it was in the year 1673. With explanatory notes. New York, 1825.

The view is a poor copy of the Restitutio type, from a hand copy made by Du Simitière in 1769.

New York 170 years ago with a view, and explanatory notes. New York, December, 1843.

The view is the Restitutio type and was copied from a hand copy of the engraved view that he found among the Du Simitière manuscripts in the Library Company of Philadelphia. The copy was made by Du Simitière in 1769.

History of the State of New-York. Part II. Novum Belgium. New York, 1826.

Showing reproduction of the view from *Beschrijvinghe van Virginia*, Amsterdam, 1651.

GOODRICH, ANDREW T., publisher

The Picture of New-York. New York [circa 1828].

In this edition, which differs materially from that of 1825, there is added a "Chronological history of the City of New-York," from 1609 to Jan. 1, 1828, on p. 1–135.

VALENTINE, DAVID THOMAS

History of the City of New York. New York, 1853.

The appendix contains a descriptive list from early grants and deeds (1637–1680) of places on Manhattan Island, and endeavors to identify them with respect to their modern locations. There are also lists of inhabitants in 1653, 1655, 1674; the Selyns list of members of the Dutch Church, 1686, etc.

It has been alleged that John Paulding is the virtual author of this history. Valentine makes acknowledgment to Paulding for particular aid, but in the copyright as in the book, Valentine's claim to authorship is very definite.

DAVIS, ASAHEL

History of New Amsterdam; or, New York as it was, in the days of the Dutch governors. [New York,] 1854.

A popular account.

BOOTH, MARY LOUISE

History of the City of New York. New York, 1859.

This popular work was for some years after its publication the only complete history of the city.

Reissued in 1860, 1865, 1866. With additions and alterations in 1867 (2 v.). Again revised and brought down to date (1880). Modern research has put much of it out of date.

The editions of 1867 and 1880 are also shown.

STONE, WILLIAM LEETE

History of New York City from its discovery to the present day. New York, 1868.

This is the first edition on thin paper and without illustrations.

There is another thin paper edition without illustrations, published by R. D. Cooke of New York, 1876, as *The Centennial history*. This is also shown.

History of New York City from the discovery to the present day. New York, 1872.

The best edition, on thick paper, with many illustrations. It is a compilation.

"It is more truly an account of events which occurred in the city than a history of the city itself; a large proportion of these events, however, really belong to the history of the province." — Professor Herbert L. Osgood in Larned's *Literature of American history*, p. 373.

New Amsterdam — General Works, continued

RICHMOND, JOHN FRANCIS

New York and its institutions, 1609–1872. New York, 1872.

Still has some use for the institutional history of the city.

LAMB, MARTHA JOANNA READE NASH

History of the City of New York: its origin, rise, and progress. New York and Chicago, 1877–80. 2 v.

Also a new edition in three volumes, New York, 1877–96, with additions for the period 1880–1896, by Mrs. Burton Harrison.

LOSSING, BENSON JOHN

History of New York City (1609–1884). New York [cop. 1884]. 2 v.

Severely criticised and called "formless and scrappy to the last degree," in *The Nation*, v. 47, p. 39.

TODD, CHARLES BURR

The story of the City of New York. New York, 1888.

A picturesque story of the city to the year 1830.

DARLING, CHARLES WILLIAM

New Amsterdam, New Orange, New York. n.p., 1889.

Of no particular use.

ROOSEVELT, THEODORE

New York. New York and London, 1891. (Historic towns.)

Professes to give new interpretations rather than new facts, and "to sketch the workings of the town's life, social, commercial, and political, at successive periods, with their sharp transformations and contrasts; and to trace the causes which gradually changed a little Dutch trading hamlet into a huge American city."

JANVIER, THOMAS ALLIBONE

In old New York. New York, 1894.

A well-written popular account, with the narrative sometimes imaginary.

WILSON, JAMES GRANT, editor

The Memorial history of the City of New-York. New York, 1892–93. 4 v.

The first volume includes the period of New Amsterdam and the Dutch in New Netherland. The chapters are by various contributors and have a varying quality. Some important manuscripts were given in facsimile here for the first time.

MOSS, FRANK

The American metropolis from Knickerbocker days to the present time. New York City life in all its various phases. New York, 1897. 3 v.

Popular and uncritical.

RUNK, EDWARD J.

Annals of greater New York. New York, 1897.

An uncritical compilation.

HALF MOON SERIES. New York, 1897–98.

There are 24 monographs in 24 parts, by different authors, forming two volumes, edited by Maud Wilder Goodwin and others.

Interesting but must be used with caution on account of incompleteness, faulty deductions, and numerous errors of fact.

HALF MOON SERIES. Historic New York; being the . . . series of the Half Moon papers. New York, 1898–99. 2 v.

This is the republication, extended with notes, maps, and illustrations.

New Amsterdam — General Works, continued

VAN PELT, DANIEL

Leslie's History of the Greater New York. New York [cop. 1898]. 3 v.

Popular and unreliable.

ZEISLOFT, E. IDELL, editor

The new metropolis; memorable events of three centuries, 1600–1900; from the island of Mana-hatta to Greater New York at the close of the nineteenth century. New York [cop. 1899].

A volume of text, illustrated, and two oblong portfolios with cardmounted views.

Includes some early New York views.

VAN RENSSELAER, MARIANA GRISWOLD, MRS. SCHUYLER VAN RENSSELAER

New York and its historians.

In: *North American review*, v. 171 (1900), p. 724–733, 872–883.

Two fine chapters, in the first of which the author points out the prejudiced, erroneous, and careless writing of the history of the City of New York by earlier historians, and the bad effect which Washington Irving's lampoon *History* by Diedrich Knickerbocker has had. The second part gives an excellent sketch of the rise of scholarly historical research in New York and its fruition in the pioneer works of O'Callaghan and Brodhead.

COLTON, JULIA MARIA

Annals of old Manhattan, 1609–1664. New York [cop. 1901].

A compilation. Most of the illustrations lack authenticity.

WILSON, RUFUS ROCKWELL

New York: old & new; its story, streets, and landmarks. Philadelphia & London, 1903. 2 v. Illustrated.

Popular compilation.

ULMANN, ALBERT

A landmark history of New York. Also the origin of street names, and a bibliography. New York, 1901.

Told in story form "particularly to interest the young," but having in view also the interest of the teacher and the student of history. Most of the earlier pictures are fictitious.

The book gives the wording of many landmark tablets, but does not criticise them, to show that some of them are erroneous either as to location or data.

INNES, J. H.

New Amsterdam and its people; studies, social and topographical, of the town under Dutch and early English rule. New York, 1902.

The first serious attempt to treat the seventeenth-century city monographically with respect to its topography and its social organization.

JANVIER, THOMAS ALLIBONE

The founding of New York. A series of articles written for the New York Times, May 25–31, 1903.

In commemoration of the 250th anniversary of the founding of municipal government in the City of New York.

Mounted clippings.

VERSTEEG, DINGMAN

The City of New Amsterdam.

In: *Year book* of the Holland Society of New York for 1903, p. 172–204.

HEMSTREET, CHARLES

The Story of Manhattan. New York, 1907.

The author says it is "the history of New York City . . . told as a story."

Most of the pictures are bogus and there are many errors in the text.

New Amsterdam — General Works, continued

MacAtamney, Hugh

Cradle days of New York (1609–1825). New York, 1909.

Merely a compilation.

Van Rensselaer, Mariana Griswold, Mrs. Schuyler Van Rensselaer

History of the City of New York in the seventeenth century. New York, 1909. 2 v.

v. 1: New Amsterdam to 1664.

v. 2: New Orange and New York, 1664–1691.

This is a capital work — the first really serious endeavor to write a history of the city under the Dutch and early English administrations, in which the affairs of the city have been emphasized and in which the provincial history has been made a background in perspective.

The "reference notes" at the end of each chapter and the catalogue of 550 titles at the end of the second volume show how extensively her researches have been carried on.

Leonard, John William

History of the City of New York, 1609–1909. New York, 1910.

An uncritical compilation.

Brown, Henry Collins

Book of old New-York. New York, 1913.

A picture book.

Shepherd, William Robert

The story of New Amsterdam. New York, 1917.

A separate issue from the *Year book* of the Holland Society of New York, 1917.

The author has partly rewritten the work for a tercentenary edition, announced to appear in the autumn of 1926.

Stokes, Isaac Newton Phelps

The iconography of Manhattan Island, 1498–1909.

This monumental work will be completed in six volumes.

The contents so far as they relate to the period of the present exhibition are as follows:

v. 1 (1915): Chapter I: The period of discovery, 1524–1609; the Dutch period, 1609–1664. Chapter II: The first years of the English period.

v. 2 (1916): The early cartography of the vicinity of Manhattan Island; First Dutch surveys, 1614–1616; First maps and globes published in Holland showing Manhattan Island, 1617–1635; English maps of the region after Hudson, 1610–1646; Second Dutch surveys, 1630–1650, including the Minuit maps, Manatus maps, and Janssonnius-Visscher map and successors; Maps of Spanish, Portuguese, French, German, and Indian sources, etc.; the Castello plan, 1660; Dutch grants map and key thereto.

v. 3 (1918): The Landmark map with reference key thereto.

v. 4 (1922): Historical chronology to 1674, covering more than 300 pages, double columns, in very small (7-point) type; notable reproductions of sources.

v. 5 (in press): To contain the rest of the Historical chronology (1776–1909), with additions, etc., to the earlier period.

v. 6: This will be an elaborate index, etc.

The thousands of pages of text and hundreds of views, maps, plans, facsimiles of documents, and other illustrative matter, all done in the best fashion of the typographic and graphic arts, together with its mass of solid information drawn from original sources, render this work an enduring monument. For no other city is there a work at all comparable to it.

REGIONAL

NEW AMSTERDAM AND NEW HARLEM

New Amsterdam Gazette. Historical sketches and reminiscences of the Dutch regime of New Amsterdam and the New Netherlands [*sic*]. v. 1 (1883). New York, 1883.

Edited and published by Morris Coster.

Old New York; a journal relating to the history and antiquities of New York City. New York, 1889–91. 2 v.

Originally issued in twelve numbers.

v. II, p. 1 ff. Pearl Street; v. II, pp. 251 ff., 357 ff., 426 ff., are Dutch records of New York from 1647, etc.

Edited by W. W. Pasko.

New Amsterdam year book. no. 1–3 (1897–99). New York [1897–99].

Edited by Morris Coster.

Bellamy, Blanche Wilder

Governor's Island. [New York, 1897.]

Issued as v. 1, no. 4 of the *Half Moon series*. Appeared later as series 1, no. 12 of the reissue called *Historic New York*.

Smith, Edmund Banks

Governor's Island; its military history under three flags, 1637–1913. New York, 1913.

By the then chaplain of Governor's Island.

Lamb, Martha Joanna Reade Nash

Wall Street in history. New York, 1883.

In three chapters, the first covering 1642–1774, the last coming down to 1883.

Also in *Magazine of American history*, 1883, v. 9, p. 305–334, 401–427; v. 10, p. 1–30.

Goodwin, Maud Wilder

Fort Amsterdam in the days of the Dutch. [New York, 1897.]

Issued as v. 1, no. 8 of the *Half Moon series*. Also published as series 1, no. 1 in the reissue known as *Historic New York*.

The Story of the Fort, with photogravure of New York in 1643. New York [1900?].

The picture is a modern conception drawn by E. L. Henry, and should not be considered as an historical fact.

Issued by the Title Guarantee & Trust Company.

Trask, Spencer

Bowling Green. New York, 1898.

A separate issue.

Also in *Half Moon series*, v. 2, no. 5 (May, 1898), and in the reissue known as *Historic New York*, v. 2, p. 163–208.

Hill, Frederick Trevor

The story of a street; a narrative history of Wall Street from 1644 to 1908. New York and London, 1908.

Appeared originally as six chapters in *Harper's magazine*, 1908, v. 116, p. 686–693, 837–846; v. 117, p. 126–135, 299–307, 455–463, 614–622.

Enton, James V.

An old street of New York [Pearl Street].

In: *American historical magazine*, v. 2–3 (1907–08).

Jenkins, Stephen

The greatest street in the world. The story of Broadway . . . New York and London [1911].

This volume, which grew out of a lecture, is a compilation derived mainly from secondary printed books.

Regional — New Amsterdam and New Harlem, continued

GERARD, JAMES WATSON

Anneke Jans Bogardus and her farm.

In: *Harper's magazine*, v. 70 (May, 1885), p. 836–849.

NASH, STEPHEN PAYNE

Anneke Jans Bogardus; her farm, and how it became the property of Trinity Church, New York. New York, 1896.

PUTNAM, RUTH

Annetje Jans' farm, with some tidings of its first possessors and the later fruits it bore. New York, 1897.

In: *Historic New York*, series 1, p. 119–158.

TUTTLE, HENRY CROSWELL

Abstracts of farm titles in the City of New York, East Side, between 75th and 120th Streets. New York, 1878.

Yorkville and Harlem.

HEWITT, EDWARD RINGWOOD, and MARY ASHLEY HEWITT

The Bowery. [New York, 1897.]

Issued as v. 1, no. 12 of the *Half Moon series*. Later appeared as series 1, no. 11 in the reissue called *Historic New York*.

RIKEMAN, ANN A.

The evolution of Stuyvesant Village (New York City). Mamaroneck, 1899.

Sketchy and inaccurate in the earlier period. It is suggestive for the later years.

MOTT, HOPPER STRIKER

The New York of yesterday. A descriptive narrative of old Bloomingdale. New York, 1908. Illustrated.

A good regional history.

POST, JOHN J.

Abstract of title of Kip's Bay Farm in the City of New York . . . also, The early history of the Kip family. New York, 1894. 3 v.

Under its primitive Dutch grant, before it was the property of the Kip family, this farm was a tobacco plantation of Hall and Holmes.

ORIGINAL MANUSCRIPT RECORDS OF THE TOWN OF NEW HAERLEM, 1662–1788. 9 v.

The pages exhibited are:

Earliest extant Dutch Court record of New Haerlem, January 13, 1662.

Appointment of schout, secretary, and schepens by Gov. Colve. These men, apart from other duties, sat as the magistrates of the town. Date, October 4, 1674.

Tax list, March 6, 1673. Names of the owners of lands and lots, amount possessed by each and tax computed according to the tax rate.

Entered record by the town-clerk, Jan Lamontagne, Jr., of the petition of the inhabitants of New Haerlem, to Richard Nicolls, first English governor of New York, respecting land patents and their confirmation, March 15, 1666/7.

Account of Secretary Bayard for salary and making translations of land patents.

Accounts of the town for 1679–1682, including an entry for glazing the town-house.

Acknowledgment of sale of land, signed by Captain James Carteret, who had married, in 1673, a daughter of Captain Thomas Delavall, member of the Executive Council of the province of New York. Instrument dated November 21, 1679.

Record of quit rents of Harlem lands, May 6, 1706.

Inventory of the effects of Jacqueline Parisis, widow of Daniel Tourneur, August 22, 1700.

Agreement of the inhabitants of Harlem for a division of the undivided lands of the town, May 19, 1711.

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ORIGINAL DEACON'S BOOK of the Dutch Church of Harlem, 1672–1694 (with some gaps).

The page shown contains a record of the Sunday and Friday collections.

SELDEN, DUDLEY

Conveyances on record in Register's Office. New York, 1838.

Mainly relates to the conveyance of lots in the Harlem Commons. On p. 117–175 are patents and confirmations issued in 1666 and 1686 by English governors of New York.

RIKER, JAMES

Mr. Riker's manuscript Harlem notes; a chronological record.

Under date of January 16, 1673, is a "List of Town Papers."

Harlem (City of New York); its origin and early annals. New York, 1881.

The original edition of this useful local history, the result of patient research covering a quarter of a century. It portrays the land system, social and economic conditions, and government of this town during the seventeenth century.

RIKER, JAMES

Revised history of Harlem (City of New York.) Its origin and early annals. New York, 1904.

Edition "revised from the author's notes and enlarged by Henry Pennington Toler, and edited by Sterling Potter." There are considerable additions to the genealogies.

EHRLICH, MORRIS WILLIAM

Historic traces on upper Manhattan. [New York,] 1910.

Only a few copies were struck off of this compiled historical map, showing the lines and landmarks of New Haerlem, as well as the present lines of city streets.

PIRSSON, JOHN W.

The Dutch grants, Harlem patents and tidal creeks. New York, 1889.

Relates to titles to meadows in the bay of Hell Gate, the Harlem Mill Creek, the Harlem Mill Pond, Montagne's Point, Montagne's Flat, and Van Keulen's Hook.

Dutch records and patents are in an appendix.

PIERCE, CARL HORTON

New Harlem, past and present. New York, 1903.

Issued in support of the claimants for Harlem lands. Documents are given in appendices.

REGIONAL — THE BRONX

BRONX BOARD OF TRADE

The Borough of the Bronx; a city within a city. New York, 1909.

Issued on the tercentenary of Hudson's discovery.

JENKINS, STEPHEN

The story of the Bronx. New York and London, 1912.

A useful compilation. The author was a school teacher in the region of which the book treats.

REGIONAL

HUDSON RIVER LOCALITIES AND RENSSELAERSWYCK

MUNSELL, JOEL

The annals of Albany. Second edition. Albany, 1869. 9 v.

A few volumes exhibited for their contents respecting Rensselaerswyck.

Collections on the history of Albany, from its discovery to the present time. Albany, 1865–71. 4 v.

WEISE, ARTHUR JAMES

The history of the city of Albany, New York. Albany, 1884.

A pretty good local history.

REYNOLDS, CUYLER

Albany chronicles; a history of the city arranged chronologically. Albany, 1906.

Useful compilation.

ALBANY'S tercentenary. America's oldest city, 1624–1924; historical narrative, souvenir. [Albany, 1924.]

The official publication in commemoration of the founding of the first Dutch settlement within the confines of the State of New York.

BRONZE MEDAL in commemoration of the 300th anniversary of the founding of Albany. 1624–1924.

VERVELEN, DANIEL

Acknowledgment of indebtedness to Marten Gerritsen for 1800 guilders. Made before Ludovicus Cobes, secretary of Albany, and attested by him. Dated Feb. 6, 1668/9. Original manuscript.

MAP of the colony of Rensselaerswyck, about 1632. Facsimile.

From *Van Rensselaer Bowier manuscripts* (Albany, 1908).

PLANS of Albany and the fort of Albany, Kingston, the fort of Schenectady, and the Indian fort at the Flats, facsimile on one sheet. Proof plate for *John Miller's New Yorke considered and improved, 1695* (Cleveland, 1903).

RENSSELAERSWYCK

Photograph of the contract made on Manhattan Island August 6, 1630. Signed by Director-General Minuit and his Council.

The original manuscript is now owned by the New York State Museum at Albany.

Photograph of the deed confirmatory of the Indian purchase made on Manhattan Island, August 13, 1630. Signed by Director-General Minuit and his Council.

The original is owned by The New York Public Library and is also exhibited with the Minuit chronological group.

JESSURUN, J. SPINOZA CATELLA

Kiliaen van Rensselaer van 1623 tot 1636. 's-Gravenhage, 1917.

The title is misleading. It is not primarily a biography, but treats of the planning, planting, and development of the colony of Rensselaerswyck under the patroonship of Kiliaen van Rensselaer.

Manhattan Island figures in the narrative as the port of entry and the seat of provincial control.

The value of the book lies in the author's use of the latest sources and their reinterpretation, though the book does not furnish much new information.

SPOONER, WALTER WHIPPLE

The Van Rensselaer family.

In: *American historical magazine*, v. 2 (1907), p. 1–23, 129–143, 187–212.

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VAN LAER, ARNOLD JOHAN FERDINAND

The patroon system and the colony of Rensselaerswyck.

In: *Proceedings* of the New York State Historical Association, v. 8 (1909), p. 222–233.

ROEVER, NICOLAAS DE

Kiliaen van Rensselaer en zijne kolonie Rensselaerswijck.

In: *Oud-Holland*, jaarg. 8 (1890), p. 29–74, 241–296.

VAN LAER, ARNOLD JOHAN FERDINAND, editor.

Van Rensselaer Bowier manuscripts, being the letters of Kilaen van Rensselaer, 1630–1643, and other documents relating to the colony of Rensselaerswyck. Translated and edited by A. J. F. van Laer. Albany, 1908.

Most of the papers relate to the colony of Rensselaerswyck; but there is very valuable information touching upon the early history of New Amsterdam and other parts of New Netherland, and relative to the personal history of early settlers. It is an indispensable body of primary materials, presented in a creditable manner by an editor who holds high rank in this field of Dutch documentation.

Minutes of the Court of Fort Orange and Beverwyck, 1652–1656. Albany, 1920.

Minutes of the Court of Rensselaerswyck, 1648–1652. Albany, 1922.

PALTSITS, VICTOR HUGO, editor.

Inventory of the Rensselaerswyck manuscripts. Edited from the original manuscript in The New York Public Library. New York, 1924.

The original manuscript is also shown, gift of Howard Townsend, Esq., a descendant of the Van Rensselaers and one of the last officers of the estate.

NEW NETHERLAND PAPERS

Petition of Johan van Rensselaer, patroon of Rensselaerswyck, and his partners, to the Burgomasters of Amsterdam in Holland asking intervention and corrections of abuses by Stuyvesant against the liberties of the said colony. Undated, but about 1650.

Extracts from a letter of Director-General Stuyvesant and council to the Directors at Amsterdam. August 11, 1656.

Indians are bold when drunk — Senecas bring about 4,000 beavers — People of Fort Orange and Beverwyck have built a small church — Ask for church bells weighing 200 or 300 pounds.

BEERNINK, G.

De geschiedschrijver en rechtsgeleerde Dr. Arend van Slichtenhorst en zijn vader Brant van Slichtenhorst, stichter van Albany. Arnhem, 1916.

A work valuable for the history of the colony of Rensselaerswyck.

Has an appendix of documents, 1625–1653.

Brant van Slichtenhorst was not the actual founder of Albany as alleged. He became Director of the colony of Rensselaerswyck in 1647, arrived with his commission in March, 1648, and continued in that post till 1652. His death occurred in 1666.

SALMON, LUCY MAYNARD

The Dutch West India Company on the Hudson. Poughkeepsie, N. Y., 1915.

By the professor of American history at Vassar College.

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FERNOW, BERTHOLD, editor

Documents relating to the history and settlements of the towns along the Hudson and Mohawk rivers (with the exception of Albany), from 1630 to 1684. Albany, 1881.

Issued as v. 13 (old series) or v. 2 (new series) of *Documents relating to the colonial history of the State of New York.*

PEARSON, JONATHAN

A history of the Schenectady patent in the Dutch and English times; being contributions toward a history of the lower Mohawk valley. Albany, 1883.

GRIFFIS, WILLIAM ELLIOT

Arendt van Curler, first superintendent of Rensselaerwyck, founder of Schenectady, and of the Dutch policy of peace with the Iriquois. [Albany, 1887?]

Paper read before the Albany Institute Nov. 18, 1884.

KINGSTON, N. Y.

The Dutch records of Kingston, Ulster county, New York . . . 1658–1684, with some later dates. Part 1. May 31, 1658 – November 18, 1664. Esopus — Wildwyck. [Translated by Dingman Versteeg.] Revised translation . . . by Samuel Oppenheim. xvi, 171, xvii p.

In: *Proceedings* of the New York State Historical Association, v. 11 (1912).

SCHOONMAKER, MARIUS

The history of Kingston, New York, from its early settlement to the year 1820. New York, 1888.

KREGIER, MARTIN

Journal of the second Esopus war, 1663. Translated from the original Dutch manuscript.

In: E. B. O'Callaghan, editor, *Documentary history of the State of New York*, v. 4 (Albany, 1851), p. 37–98.

BLOM, DOMINE HERMANUS

Letter dated at Nieu Amsterdam, September 18, 1663. Photograph. 3 p.

The original Dutch letter is in the archives of the General Synod, Sage Library, New Brunswick, N. J., and an English translation is in *Ecclesiastical records of the State of New York*, v. 1, p. 534–535.

LOUNSBERY, WILLIAM

Historical address delivered at the city of Kingston at the centennial anniversary of American independence, July 4, 1876. Kingston, 1876.

DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, NEW YORK. — WILTWYCK CHAPTER, KINGSTON, N. Y.

An historical pageant . . . Dec. 9–14, 1895. Under the auspices of Wiltwyck Chapter . . . [Kingston, N. Y., 1895.]

HENDRICKS, HOWARD

The city of Kingston, birth place of New York State. Kingston, 1902.

The birth date refers to the year 1777, when constitutional State government began there.

INVITATION, to Victor Hugo Paltsits, to attend the celebration of the 250th anniversary of the founding of Kingston, June 1, 1908.

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REFORMED DUTCH CHURCH, Kingston, N. Y.

Two hundred and fiftieth anniversary, September twelfth, thirteenth, fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and nine. [Kingston, 1909.]

The order of exercises during the celebration.

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NEW NETHERLAND PAPERS

Original letter from Nicasius de Sille, Councillor of New Netherland, to Hans Bontemantel, a director of the Dutch West India Company. October 27, 1655.

Refers to the Indian attack on Staten Island and at Pavonia, etc.

KOENEN, HENDRIK JAKOB

Pavonia. Eene bijdrage tot de kennis der voormalige nederlandsche koloniën. [Arnhem, 1847.]

An early monograph relating to Michiel Pauw, Lord of Achttienhoven, Knight of the Order of St. Mark, and his patroonship in New Netherland, named for him Pavonia, embracing Jersey City, N. J., and environs under the command of Cornelis von Voorst.

Excerpt from *Bijdragen voor vaderlandsche geschiedenis en oudheidkunde*, 1847.

VERSTEEG, DINGMAN

The founding of Jersey City to and including the incorporation of the village of Bergen.

In: *Year book* of the Holland Society of New York for 1914, p. 1–53.

NEW NETHERLAND PAPERS

Extract from a letter of Director-General Stuyvesant to the Directors at Amsterdam. October 30, 1657.

Relative to English encroachments, particularly on the eastern part of Long Island.

FERNOW, BERTHOLD, editor

Documents relating to the history of the early colonial settlements, principally on Long Island. Albany, 1883.

Issued as v. 14 [new series, v. 3] of *Documents relating to the colonial history of the State of New York.*

ABBOTT, WILBUR CORTEZ

Colonel John Scott of Long Island, 1634 (?)–1696. New Haven, 1918.

STILES, HENRY REED

A history of the city of Brooklyn. Brooklyn, 1867–70. 3 v.

The history of Manhattan Island is involved, especially in the first volume.

Stiles also edited an *Illustrated history of the county of Kings and the city of Brooklyn*, 1884, in two volumes.

PUTNAM, HARRINGTON

Origin of Breuckelen. New York, 1898.

Issued as v. 2, no. 11 of the *Half Moon series.*

HUDDEN, ANDRIES, and WOLPHERT GERRITSEN

Deed from them in hand of Hudden to Gerrit Wolphertsen, September 16, 1641, of sixty-eight morgens of land, situate on the flats [the bow-

Regional — Delaware — New Jersey — Long Island — Staten Island, continued

HUDDEN, ANDRIES, and WOLPHERT GERRITSEN, *continued*

ery of Achtervelt] in Keskachauge, the first white settlement on Long Island.

Photostat from original owned by V. H. Paltsits.

VAN WYCK, FREDERICK

Keskachauge; or, The first white settlement on Long Island. New York & London, 1924.

A sumptuous work dealing with the lands of the Canarise Indians in the region of the present borough of Brooklyn, its settlement and early settlers. Illustrated with maps and views.

AMERSFOORT [FLATLANDS, L. I.]

Petition of the inhabitants to Director-General Stuyvesant and his council for aid in building a church, June 4, 1663, and the marginal vote in Stuyvesant's hand making the grant of 250 guilders in beaver value, done at Fort Amsterdam, June 7, 1663. Photostat.

STRONG, THOMAS MORRIS

The history of the town of Flatbush. New-York, 1842.

FISHER, EDMUND D.

Flatbush, past & present. Brooklyn, 1901.

Published by the Flatbush Trust Company.

BERGEN, TUNIS GARRET

A history of the town of New Utrecht, N. Y. Brooklyn, N. Y., 1884.

A separate edition from Stiles's *Illustrated history of the county of Kings.*

RIKER, JAMES, JR.

Extracts principally from town records of Newtown, L. I., consisting of one volume of Court minutes and five volumes of other records. Copied by James Riker, jr., in 1846.

Manuscript volume.

The annals of Newtown, in Queens county, New-York. New-York, 1852.

The most valuable regional history in the territory of the present borough of Queens.

CLUTE, JOHN J.

Annals of Staten Island. New York, 1877.

Useful, but poor in the period of the seventeenth century.

LENG, CHARLES WILLIAM, and EDWARD C. DELAVAN, JR.

A condensed history of Staten Island. [New York,] 1924.

Issued by The Staten Island Edison Corporation.

New and accurate data are presented here for the first time.

NEW NETHERLAND PAPERS

A statement concerning the Dutch claims to the Delaware country and the capture of Fort Casimier by the Swedes, together with Peter Minuit's entry into the service of Sweden. 1654.

Extract from the Articles of Surrender entered into between Governor Johan Rysing of New Sweden and Director-General Stuyvesant of New Netherland respecting the capitulation of Fort Christina on the Delaware. September, 1655.

Shows the seventh article.

Regional — Delaware — New Jersey — Long Island — Staten Island, continued

New Netherland Papers

Extract from a private letter of Director-General Stuyvesant to the Directors at Amsterdam. October 28, 1655.

Relates to his expedition to the Delaware country, depredations by Indians, laws against drunkenness, profanity, etc.

The Directors of the Dutch West India Company to the Deputies of the City of Amsterdam. February 15, 1656.

Relates principally to the conquest of the Swedes on the Delaware and placing the said region under the jurisdiction of the Dutch city fathers.

A preliminary document on the founding of New Amstel colony.

Blommaert, Samuel van

Brieven van Samuel Blommaert aen den Zweedschen Rijksanselier Axel Oxenstierna, 1635–1641. n. p. [188–?] (Zweedsche archivalia uitgegeven door G. W. Kernkamp.)

Separate issue from *Bijdragen en mededeelingen*, no. xxix, of the Historisch Genootschap te Utrecht.

A collection of documents with connecting historical information respecting Samuel Blommaert, many years a director of the Dutch West India Company; his relations with American colonization, especially his correspondence with the Swedish Chancellor Axel Oxenstierna concerning Swedish colonization on the Delaware and elsewhere in America.

The work is also of considerable interest as showing the career of Peter Minuit as a promoter of Swedish colonization.

Papers relating to the colonies on the Delaware, 1614–1682. Harrisburg, 1877.

Issued as *Pennsylvania archives*, series 2, v. 5.

Fernow, Berthold, editor

Documents relating to the history of the Dutch and Swedish settlements on the Delaware river. Albany, 1887.

Issued as v. 12 [new series, v. 1] of *Documents relative to the colonial history of the State of New-York.*

Johnson, Amandus

The Swedish settlements on the Delaware; their history and relation to the Indians, Dutch and English, 1638–1664. New York, 1911. 2 v.

An authoritative work derived from original sources, many of which were never before used. Indispensable for New Netherland history since it inevitably interlocks with the history of the Dutch government at New Amsterdam.

NATIONAL AND RACIAL ELEMENTS

Bayer, Henry G.

The Belgians, first settlers in New York and in the middle states. New York, 1925.

A compilation with queer deductions. Reviewed in *American historical review*, v. 31 (1925–26), p. 581–582.

Beeckman, James William.

An address delivered before the Saint Nicholas Society of the City of New York, December 4, 1869. [Albany,] 1870.

Relates to "The Founders of New York" by a descendant of one of them.

National and Racial Elements, continued

COLENBRANDER, HERMAN THEODOOR.

The Dutch element in American history.

In: *Annual report* for 1909, p. 191–201, of the American Historical Association.

EVJEN, JOHN OLUF

Scandinavian immigrants in New York, 1630–1674. With appendices . . . on some Scandinavians in New York in the eighteenth century, German immigrants in New York, 1630–1674. Minneapolis, 1916.

Based mainly upon primary sources. A collection of biographical articles of value for the social and cultural history of New Netherland.

FERNOW, BERTHOLD

New Amsterdam family names and their origin. New York, 1898.

Issued as v. 2, no. 6 of the *Half Moon series.*

GERARD, JAMES WATSON, JR.

The impress of nationalities upon the City of New York. New York, 1883.

A paper read before The New York Historical Society.

GRIFFIS, WILLIAM ELLIOT

The story of the Walloons at home, in lands of exile and in America. Boston and New York, 1923.

Reviewed in *Mississippi Valley historical review*, v. 10 (1923–24), p. 463–464.

HOFFMAN, CHARLES FENNO

The pioneers of New-York. New York, 1848.

A defence made before the St. Nicholas Society of Manhattan, December 6, 1847, of the old New Yorkers against the New England historians.

It was reissued by the Society in 1912 in imitation of the original edition and without corrections, so repeating its inaccuracies.

JAHR, TORSTEIN

Normænd i Nieuw-Nederland [Normans in New Netherland].

In: *Symra*, v. 5 (1909), p. 65–79, a Norwegian-American quarterly published at Decorah, Iowa.

LEFEVRE, RALPH

The Huguenots — the first settlers in the province of New York.

In: *Quarterly journal* of the New York State Historical Association, v. 2 (1921), p. 177–185.

MAAR, CHARLES

The High Dutch and the Low Dutch in New York, 1624–1924.

In: *Quarterly journal* for October, 1924, p. 317–329, of the New York State Historical Association.

OGDEN, JAMES DE PEYSTER

The founders of New-York; being the anniversary address . . . before the St. Nicholas Society. New York, 1846.

Illustrates a trait of the period of addresses pleasantly written but not much on facts.

PUTNAM, RUTH

The Dutch element in the United States.

In: *Bijdragen voor vaderlandsche geschiedenis*, reeks 4, deel 9 (1910).

As a study of the Dutch element it has some interest.

LAW AND RELIGION

McAdam, David, and Others

History of the bench and bar of New York. [New York,] 1897. 2 v.

The first volume has a chapter by Judge Charles P. Daly on the "State of jurisprudence during the Dutch period," 1623–1674.

O'Callaghan, Edmund Bailey, editor

Laws and ordinances of New Netherlands, 1638–1674. Compiled and translated from the original Dutch records in the office of the Secretary of State, Albany, New York. Albany, 1868.

An indispensable volume for the administrative, legal, economic, and social history of the Dutch province.

Some of these ordinances in a different English version are in v. 1 of *Records of New Amsterdam.*

The Dutch Records of New York.

In: *Old New York*, v. 2 (1890–91), p. 251–261, 337–343, 462–470.

Shows ordinance for suppression of inordinate drinking and other laws for preserving order and decorum.

Collegiate Reformed Protestant Dutch Church, New York

Historical sketch of the origin and organization of the Reformed Church in America and of the Collegiate Church of the City of New York. [New York,] 1904. 3. ed.

Corwin, Edward Tanjore, editor

Ecclesiastical records of New York. Albany, 1901–16. 7 v.

Edited under a special legislative appropriation and published by the State.

The Dutch documents are given in an English translation in v. 1, here exhibited.

Corwin, Edward Tanjore, editor, *continued*

A manual of the Reformed Church in America (formerly the Reformed Protestant Dutch Church), 1628–1902. Fourth edition. New York, 1902.

The final edition, the first appearing in 1859. It is one of the best histories of a religious denomination in the United States, but should be used with caution as it has numerous errors.

Eekhof, Albert

De Hervormde Kerk in Noord-Amerika (1624–1664). 's-Gravenhage, 1913. 2 v.

A work indispensable to the church historian, as well as to those who seek to understand the Dutch régime of New Netherland.

An appendix containing the texts of certain Dutch documents is particularly useful.

Greenleaf, Jonathan

A history of the churches, of all denominations, in the City of New York, from the first settlement to the year 1846. New York, 1846.

There was a reissue bringing the data down to 1850. An interesting work at the time, but now virtually out-of-date or superseded.

Kretzmann, Karl

The oldest Lutheran church in America. New York, 1914.

A chronicle of events in the history of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Saint Matthew in the City of New York, 1664—1914.

Gives a facsimile of the first charter granted by Gov. Richard Nicolls, on December 6, 1664.

Law and Religion, continued

MEGAPOLENSIS, JOHANNES

Reply of Rev. Johannes Megapolensis, pastor of the Church of New Amsterdam, to a letter of Father Simon Le Moyne, a French Jesuit missionary of Canada, 1658. New York, 1907.

Edited by the Rev. Dr. E. T. Corwin.

PALTSITS, VICTOR HUGO, editor

Minutes of the Executive Council of the province of New York. Administration of Francis Lovelace, 1668–1673. Edited by Victor Hugo Paltsits, state historian. Albany, 1910. 2 v.

v. 2 is shown, opened at p. 585, to exhibit the commission authorizing John Lawrence, Dudley Lovelace and John Pell to compose the differences existing among the Lutherans of New York City. Dated June 5, 1671.

ZWIERLEIN, FREDERICK J.

Religion in New Netherland. A history of the development of the religious conditions in the province of New Netherland, 1623–1664. Rochester, N. Y., 1910.

Founded upon documents and other source-material. Contains a select bibliography that is valuable. Presented as a doctoral dissertation to the University of Louvain, Belgium.

DALY, CHARLES PATRICK

The settlement of the Jews in North America. New York, 1893.

HUEHNER, LEON

Asser Levy. A noted Jewish burgher of New Amsterdam. New York [1900].

Reprinted from the *Publications* of the American Jewish Historical Society, no. 8 (1900).

INVITATION to the exercises held at Carnegie Hall, Nov. 30, 1905, in celebration of the 250th anniversary of the settlement of the Jews in the United States.

The TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH anniversary of the settlement of the Jews in the United States. Addresses delivered at Carnegie Hall on Thanksgiving Day, 1905. New York, 1906.

Commemorative of the first coming of Jews to New Amsterdam in 1655.

MEDAL commemorative of the 250th anniversary of the settlement of the Jews in the United States. Designed by Isidore Konti of New York, 1906.

OPPENHEIM, SAMUEL

The early history of the Jews in New York, 1654–1664. Some new matter on the subject. New York, 1909.

A separate from *Publications* of the American Jewish Historical Society, no. 18 (1909).

Valuable for the subject of the arrival and subsequent treatment of the Jews by the Dutch and for the documents and revised translations.

More about Jacob Barsimson, the first Jewish settler in New York. [New York, 1925.]

Reprint from *Publications* of the American Jewish Historical Society, no. 29 (1925).

Barsimson arrived in New Amsterdam in the ship "De Pereboom" (The Peartree) on August 22, 1654.

ECONOMICS AND GOVERNMENT

De Voe, Thomas Farrington

The market book, containing a historical account of the public markets . . . v. 1. New York, 1862.

The author, who was a butcher and cattle-dealer, served for a time as superintendent of markets in New York.

Gives some valuable information about the cattle fairs or markets in New Amsterdam.

No more published.

Durand, Edward Dana

The city chest of New Amsterdam. [New York, 1897.]

Issued as v. 1, no. 7 of the *Half Moon series*. Reissued later as series 1, no. 5 of *Historic New York*.

The finances of New York City. New York, 1898.

An excellent treatise. The section on the early city begins with the founding of the municipality under the Dutch in 1653.

Eastman, William Reed

Some municipal problems that vexed the founders. New York, 1906.

A survey of the conditions during the Dutch régime in New Netherland. Publication no. 17 of New York Society of the Order of Founders and Patriots.

Hardenbrook, William Ten Eyck.

Financial New York. A history of the banking and financial institutions of the metropolis. New York and Chicago, 1897–98.

This is the "edition de luxe" issued in four sections to subscribers.

The best work on the subject.

For the financial history of the city in the Dutch period he has drawn almost literally from D. T. Valentine's article in his *Manual* for 1859.

Jameson, John Franklin

The origin and development of the municipal government of New York City.

In: *Magazine of American history*, v. 8 (1882).

New Netherland Papers

Tax list of the Dutch West India Company, Chamber of Amsterdam, for taxes received on merchandise conveyed by private parties to New Netherland. 1654–1655.

Amounts credited to New Netherland by the Directors of the Dutch West India Company. 1660.

Memorandum of expenses for which New Netherland is indebted to the Dutch West India Company. 1660.

O'Callaghan, Edmund Bailey, editor

Voyages of the slavers St. John and Arms of Amsterdam, 1659, 1663. Together with additional papers illustrative of the slave trade under the Dutch. Translated from the original manuscripts. Albany, 1867.

Shows how negro slavery came to New Amsterdam, especially by direct traffic.

One hundred copies printed.

Pierrepont, Henry Evelyn

Historical sketch of the Fulton Ferry and its associated ferries. Brooklyn, 1879.

The first ferry from Manhattan Island to Long Island.

Documentary appendices fill 156 pages. Printed for the private use of the Company.

Economics and Government, continued

PETERSON, ARTHUR EVERETT

New York as an eighteenth century municipality prior to 1731. New York, 1917.

A doctoral dissertation in *Studies in history, economics and public law* of Columbia University, v. 75, no. 1.

A valuable contribution to the history of municipal methods during the Dutch and English periods covered. Largely derived from a new study of the original records.

PETERSON, ARTHUR EVERETT, and G. W. EDWARDS.

New York as an eighteenth century municipality. Part I. Prior to 1731, by Arthur Everett Peterson. Part II. 1731–1776, by George William Edwards. New York, 1917.

This is the combined published edition, with illustrations, of two doctoral dissertations issued originally in *Studies in history, economics and public law* of Columbia University.

SCHWAB, JOHN CHRISTOPHER

History of the New York property tax. An introduction to the history of state and local finance in New York. [Baltimore,] 1890.

It is v. 5, no. 5 of *Publications* of the American Economic Association.

Included is a discussion of early provincial and municipal finances in the Dutch period.

WEGMANN, EDWARD

The water-supply of the City of New York. 1658–1895. New York, 1896.

The principal work on this important subject.

SOCIAL HISTORY

BAYLES, WILLIAM HARRISON

Old taverns of New York. New York [cop. 1915].

EARLE, ALICE MORSE

Colonial days in old New York. New York, 1896.

SINGLETON, ESTHER

Dutch New York. New York, 1909.

VAN RENSSELAER, MAY KING, MRS. J. K. VAN RENSSELAER

The goede vrouw of Mana-ha-ta at home and in society, 1609–1760. New York, 1898.

An attempt to present woman's part in the Dutch province of New Netherland, "throwing her into strong relief." Faulty in its historical data.

EDUCATION

PRATT, DANIEL JOHNSON

Annals of public education in the state of New York, from 1626 to 1746. Albany, 1872.

Derived from Dunshee, Valentine's *Manual* for 1863, and other printed works, and translations of Dutch records in the archives of the State and the City of New York.

VAN VECHTEN, EMMA

Early schools and schoolmasters of New Amsterdam. New York, 1898.

Issued as v. 2, no. 9 of the *Half Moon series*. Reissued later as series 2, no. 9 of *Historic New York*.

Education, continued

KILPATRICK, WILLIAM HEARD

The Dutch schools of New Netherland and colonial New York. Washington, 1912.

Issued as Bulletin 483 (1912, no. 12) of the United States Bureau of Education.

Mainly derived from source-material it is an independent and worthy study of the Dutch schools from their "first transplanting from the United Netherlands" to the American Revolution, "by which time the Dutch population was in large measure merged in the common American stock."

Professor Kilpatrick shows in his monograph that, so far as known, the first school

KILPATRICK, WILLIAM HEARD, *continued*

master of New Amsterdam, Adam Roelantsen, began his career in 1638, and not, as hitherto believed, in 1633.

DUNSHEE, HENRY WEBB

History of the school of the Collegiate Reformed Dutch Church in the City of New York, from 1633 to 1883. Second edition, enlarged. New York, 1883.

First published in 1853. The date 1633 given as the founding of the school has since been shown to be an error. The founding took place in 1638.

Both editions exhibited.

VOYAGE OF GIOVANNI DA VERRAZZANO, 1524

It is now generally established as a result of nineteenth-century controversy, followed by the discovery of better evidence in the twentieth century, that in 1524 Giovanni da Verrazzano, the Italian who sailed to North America in the interest of France, entered the present harbor of New York in the ship "Dauphine." He did not reach Manhattan Island; he never came back, and his visit was fruitless.

So long as the corrupted text of Verrazzano's letter to Francis I., of France, dated July 8, 1524, as given in Ramusio and elsewhere, was the only evidence, it left the matter in controversy. But the discovery of the Cellère Codex and studies derived from it have established beyond peradventure the genuineness of the letter and the certainty of the discovery.

VERRAZZANO, GIOVANNI DA.

Letter to Francis I., of France. July 8, 1524. The original Cellère Codex.

Besides giving a pure text of the letter this Codex is notable because it presents for the first time the names Verrazzano gave to places in the region of New York with explanatory marginalia.

When discovered and first printed in 1909 by Professor Bacchiani it was owned by Count Giulio Macchi di Cellère of Rome. It was purchased by the late J. Pierpont Morgan. An excellent facsimile of the entire document is in Stokes's *Iconography of Manhattan Island*, v. 2 (1916).

Lent by The J. Pierpont Morgan Library.

VERRAZZANO, GIOVANNI DA, *continued*

Letter to Francis I., of France. July 8, 1524.

In: G. B. Ramusio, *Navigationi et viaggi*, v. 3 (Venezia, 1556).

A second edition appeared in 1559.

First publication, in a corrupted text.

Letter to Francis I., of France. July 8, 1524.

In: Richard Hakluyt, *Divers voyages*. London, 1582.

First translation into English, from Ramusio's corrupted text.

Reprinted in *Collections* of the New York Historical Society (1841); in Asher's *Henry Hudson* (1860), and elsewhere.

Voyage of Verrazzano, 1524, continued

VERRAZZANO, GIOVANNI DA, *continued*

Letter to Francis I., of France. July 8, 1524.

In: Richard Hakluyt, *Voyages.* London, 1600. v. 3.

Letter to Francis I., of France. July 8, 1524.

In: *Bollettino* of the Società geografica italiana, fasc. 11 (1909), p. 1274–1323.

First printing of the text of the Cellère Codex, with critical comments by Professor Alessandro Bacchiani.

Letter to Francis I., of France. July 8, 1524.

In: *Fifteenth annual report* (1909) of the American Scenic and Historic Preservation Society, p. 135-226.

The description of New York Harbor is on p. 188 ff.

The text of the Cellère Codex as edited by Professor Bacchiani, accompanied by the first English translation thereof and additional notes by Dr. Edward Hagaman Hall.

MAP OF THE WORLD by Girolamo Da Verrazzano, 1529.

Reproduced in the full size for the first time from the original formerly in the Library of the Propaganda Fide, and lately transferred to the Vatican, Rome.

This map shows the discoveries of Giovanni da Verrazzano in America, and it is the first map of Italian origin with the name of America on it.

One of the Stevenson facsimiles.

BREVOORT, JAMES CARSON

Verrazano the navigator. New York, 1874.

A critical examination of the letter written by Verrazzano to Francis I in 1524, and of the world map by his brother dated 1529. The critical notes fill nearly a hundred pages. In 1882, in *Magazine of American history,* Brevoort added to the subject.

MURPHY, HENRY CRUSE

The voyage of Verrazzano: a chapter in the early history of maritime discovery in America. New York, 1875.

The author's object was "to show the claim of discovery in America by Verrazzano to be without any real foundation." The book has much valuable information; but his main contention has been upset by later discoveries.

DE COSTA, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN

Verrazano the explorer. New York, 1880.

A reprint, with slight revision of the plates, from *Magazine of American history,* v. 2 and 3 (1878–79).

VOYAGE OF ESTEVAM GOMEZ, 1525

He was a Portuguese pilot who engaged in the service of Spain. In 1525 he sailed along the North Atlantic coast and noted the inlets. It is not at all probable that he entered New York Bay; but his explorations as a whole along the coast from Newfoundland to Cape May had a great effect upon the map makers of his century.

AGREEMENT of Gomez with the Emperor for a voyage of discovery, dated March 27, 1523.

In: *Colección de documentos inéditos,* v. 22 (Madrid, 1874).

OVIEDO Y VALDES, GONZALO FERNANDEZ DE

Sumario de la natural y general istoria de las Indias. Toledo, 1526.

The earliest printed reference to the voyage of Gomez, on folio XIV, verso. It tells

Voyage of Estevam Gomez, 1525, continued

OVIEDO Y VALDES, GONZALO FERNANDEZ DE, *continued*

of the return of Gomez and of the extent of his voyage from the Baccaleos to the 40th and 41st degrees.

Historia general y natural de las Indias. v. 1, parte 2. Madrid, 1852.

The exposed pages are chapter 10 of book 21. This text was written by Oviedo in 1537 and he here gives an account of the North American coast from a map now lost, made by Alonzo de Chaves in 1536, citing Gomez as the source of the names of places. It also refers to the map of Diego Ribero.

Oviedo's complete *Historia* was first printed from the original codex at Madrid in 1851–55.

MAP OF THE WORLD by Diego Ribero, 1529.

Two Ribero maps exhibited.

The one reduced in size from the original, formerly in the Library of the Propaganda Fide, and recently transferred to the Vatican, Rome. It is known as the second Borgian map.

The other map is in full-size facsimile from the original in the Grand Ducal Library, Weimar, Germany. It forms one of the Stevenson facsimiles.

Ribero was acquainted with Gomez, and these world maps are interesting because they reflect up-to-date geographical knowledge, and no doubt they particularly preserve first-hand data concerning the discoveries of Gomez.

MARTYR, PETER

De Orbe Novo. Complutum [Alcalá de Henares], 1530.

The Gomez reference is on folio cxvii.

There is also exhibited the English translation — London, 1612, which is the edition of Martyr that Michael Lok prepared at the instance of Richard Hakluyt.

Opus Epistolarum. Complutum [Alcalá de Henares], 1530.

In this work, on the reverse of folio 199, there is a reference to the projected voyage of Gomez. Peter Martyr's letter is dated August, 1524.

LA CARTE UNIVERSALE delle terra ferma & Isole delle Indie occidentali. December, 1534.

The only known original copy of this notable woodcut map.

The Italian volume in which the map is preserved is a collection of three works by Peter Martyr, Oviedo, and Xeres, brought out by Ramusio under the generic title: *Historia del' Indie Occidentali*, Venice, 1534.

Interesting here as showing the then recent North Atlantic discoveries, and the influence of the expedition of Gomez. On the mainland is the name "Steuā gomez."

GOMARA, FRANCISCO LOPEZ DE

La Historia general delas Indias. Anvers, 1554.

Chapter XL relates to the Gomez voyage.

HERRERA Y TORDESILLAS, ANTONIO DE

Historia general. Decada terzera. Madrid, 1726.

This work in several places refers to Gomez; but the principal passage on p. 241, chapter VIII, is exhibited. It says that Gomez sailed along the entire coast of North America as far as Florida, and then to Santiago in Cuba.

KOHL, JOHANN GEORG

A history of the discovery of Maine. Portland, 1869.

On p. 271–281 Dr. Kohl gives an account of the Gomez expedition, which is still a useful study.

DE COSTA, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN

Cabo de Arenas; or, The place of Sandy Hook in the old cartology as indicated in the map of Alonzo Chaves. New York, 1885.

SANTA CRUZ, ALONSO DE

Die Karten von Amerika in dem Islario general. Hrsg. von Franz R. von Wieser. Innsbruck, 1908.

Santa Cruz was chief cosmographer to Emperor Charles V. His maps are very useful and the one exhibited (Tafel III) has particular pertinency to the voyage of Gomez.

VOYAGE OF HENRY HUDSON, 1609

HUDSON, HENRY

Facsimile of his Contract as copied in the seventeenth-century unpublished manuscript history of the Dutch East India Company, written by Van Dam. The original contract signed by Hudson and witnessed by Jodocus Hondius is lost.

In: *Eleventh annual report* of the American Scenic and Historic Preservation Society (1906), between p. 168 and 169.

Contract and Instructions in Dutch with an English translation, taken from Van Dam's unpublished manuscript history of the Dutch East India Company.

In: Henry C. Murphy, *Henry Hudson in Holland* (1909), p. 32–34, 110–111, 117.

METEREN, EMANUEL VAN

Commentarien ofte Memorien van den Nederlantsen Staet . . . ende Gheschiedenissen van onsen tyden. Deel 2. Preface dated February, 1610.

Earliest printed account of Hudson's voyage of 1609.

The only known copy of this second volume of Van Meteren's last revision and genuine edition is in the Library of Congress. A facsimile of the title-page, also of the verso of folio 175 and the recto of folio 176 are shown.

Until the discovery of the above volume, a rare edition of 1611, now known to be a pirated edition, was considered to be the earliest printed account, and it was more common to refer to the 1614 edition for Van Meteren's text, because in that form it was more easily available.

METEREN, EMANUEL VAN, *continued*

The 1611 pirated edition reads: Belgische ofte nederlantsche oorlogen ende gheschiedenissen.

The original edition of 1614 is also exhibited.

GERRITSZ, HESSEL

Detectio Freti Hudsoni.

The four original editions, 1612–1613, of the publication of Hessel Gerritsz, sometimes called the Hudson tract.

Include a brief account of the third and fourth voyages of Hudson to discover a northeast or northwest passage to China and Japan.

Detectio Freti Hudsoni. Amsterdam, 1878.

A reproduction with a new English translation of the original Dutch and Latin editions of 1612 and 1613, of the so-called Hudson tract.

JUET, ROBERT

The third Voyage of Master Henry Hudson. 1609.

In: Purchas his pilgrimes, v. 3 (London, 1625), p. 581–595.

Also in the reprint of Purchas, v. 13, London, 1906; and wholly or in part in *Collections* of New York Historical Society, series 1, v. 1 and series 2, v. 1; in Asher's *Henry Hudson* (1860); *Old South leaflets*, no. 94; *Eleventh annual report* of American Scenic and Historic Preservation Society, and again in its *Fifteenth annual report*; Hart's *Contemporaries*, v. 1; and Jameson's *Narratives of New Netherland*, which is perhaps the latest and best available form.

Henry Hudson's reize onder Nederlandsche vlag van Amsterdam naar Nova Zembla, Amerika en terug naar Dartmouth in Engeland 1609, volgens het journaal van Robert

Voyage of Henry Hudson, 1609, continued

JUET, ROBERT, *continued*

Juet, uitg. door S. P. L'Honoré Naber. 's-Gravenhage, 1921.

Issued as no. 19 of the publications of the Linschoten-Vereeniging.

Hudson's third voyage, 1609.

HUDSON'S voyage in 1609. Extract from "Verhael van de eerste Schip-vaert, Amsterdam, Joost Hartgers, 1648."

In: *Collections* of New York Historical Society, series 2, v. 2 (1849), p. 367–370.

Translated by J. R. Brodhead.

MURPHY, HENRY CRUSE

Henry Hudson in Holland. An inquiry into the origin and objects of the voyage which led to the discovery of the Hudson River. The Hague, 1859.

This is the first edition.

Henry Hudson in Holland . . . Reprinted, with notes, documents and a bibliography, by Wouter Nijhoff. The Hague, 1909.

Issued by the Linschoten-Vereeniging.

This fine edition gives for the first time in one block the known Dutch texts of "all the original documents relating to the third voyage" of Hudson in 1609.

DE COSTA, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, editor.

Sailing directions of Henry Hudson, prepared for his use in 1608, from the old Danish of Evar Bardsen. With an introduction and notes . . . by B. F. De Costa. Albany, 1869.

ASHER, GEORG MICHAEL, editor

Henry Hudson the navigator. The original documents in which his career is recorded. London, 1860.

Includes Juet's journal from Purchas; extracts from the 1614 edition of Van Meteren, from the 1625 and 1630 editions of De Laet, and from the so-called Hudson tract of Hessel Gerritsz, etc.

Published by the Hakluyt Society.

BACON, EDGAR MAYHEW

Henry Hudson, his times and his voyages. New York and London, 1907. (American men of energy series.)

CLEVELAND, HENRY RUSSELL

Life of Henry Hudson.

In: Jared Sparks, *Library of American biography*, series 1, v. 10 (Boston, 1838).

HALL, EDWARD HAGAMAN

Henry Hudson and the discovery of the Hudson River.

In: *Fifteenth annual report*, 1910, of the American Scenic and Historic Preservation Society, p. 227–346.

JANVIER, THOMAS ALLIBONE

Henry Hudson, a brief statement of his aims and his achievements. New York and London, 1909.

Useful for the chapter of documents relating to Hudson's fate during his fourth voyage.

MILLER, SAMUEL

A discourse designed to commemorate the discovery of New York by Henry Hudson.

In: *Collections* of the New York Historical Society, v. 1 (1811), p. 17–45. Also issued separately, New York, 1810.

This two hundredth anniversary address was delivered before the New York Historical Society, September 4, 1809.

READ, JOHN MEREDITH

A historical inquiry concerning Henry Hudson, his friends, relatives and early life. Albany, 1866.

Abridged also in Clarendon Society Reprints, first series, p. 143–230, also shown.

The emphasis is placed on the first discovery of Delaware Bay.

Voyage of Henry Hudson, 1609, continued

WILSON, JAMES GRANT

The discovery of the Hudson River.

In: *Eleventh annual report* of the American Scenic and Historic Preservation Society (1906), p. 143–171.

HUDSON-FULTON CELEBRATION COMMISSION

Official program, Hudson-Fulton celebration . . . September 25 to October 9, 1909. New York, 1909.

Dedications. Programs and historical sketches . . . Compiled . . . for use of the societies and organizations dedicating memorials under the auspices of the Hudson-Fulton Celebration Commission. [New York,] 1909.

HALL, EDWARD HAGAMAN

Hudson and Fulton. A brief history. New York, 1909.

Issued by the Hudson-Fulton Celebration Commission.

The Hudson-Fulton celebration, 1909. The fourth annual report of the Hudson-Fulton Celebration Commission to the Legislature. Albany, 1910. 2 v.

Really not published until 1911.

OFFICIAL medal of the Hudson-Fulton Celebration Commission.

ALBANY INSTITUTE, Albany, N. Y.

Historical loan exhibition in connection with the Hudson-Fulton celebration, held in the building of the Albany Institute . . . October 7–17, 1909. Albany [1909].

ADAMS, EDWARD DEAN

Hudson-Fulton medal. Designed under the direction of the American Numismatic Society. Accepted as its one official medal by the Hudson-Fulton Celebration Commission, and issued under the seals of both organizations. [Boston,] 1909.

Reprinted from the *American journal of numismatics.*

AMERICAN GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY

A catalogue of books, maps, etc., relating to Henry Hudson, Robert Fulton and their times . . . September 25th to October 10th, 1909. New York, 1909.

CHAMBERLAIN, FRANK

Hudson tercentenary. An historical retrospect regarding . . . also Hudson's voyage to America in 1609. Albany, 1909.

This thesis argues the pre-Hudsonian discovery of the Hudson River. It has a good many curious mistakes.

COMMERCIAL history of the State of New York, commemorating the discovery of the Hudson River by Henry Hudson . . . New York: American Photograph Company. Prospectus.

GAUTIER, LOUIS F.

Souvenir book of the Hudson-Fulton celebration, with programme and historical sketches of Hudson and Fulton . . . Brooklyn, N. Y., 1909.

HESS, E. C.

Souvenir program and guide Hudson-Fulton celebration . . . September 25 to October 9, 1909. New York, 1909.

Voyage of Henry Hudson, 1609, continued

JERSEY CITY, N. J. – FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Sail and steam. An historical sketch showing New Jersey's connection with the events commemorated by the Hudson-Fulton celebration. Jersey City, N. J., 1909.

Title on cover: Hudson-Fulton celebration. 1609 — 1807 — 1909. A souvenir.

NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY

List of prints, books, manuscripts, etc., relating to Henry Hudson, the Hudson River, Robert Fulton and steam navigation. New York, 1909.

Record of an exhibition at the former Lenox Library Building in September, 1909 on the occasion of the Hudson-Fulton Celebration.

NEW YORK (STATE). — EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Hudson-Fulton celebration, September 25 to October 9, 1909; a brochure for the use of the schools of the state, compiled and edited by Harlan Hoyt Horner. Albany, 1909.

NEW YORK CENTRAL LINES

The Hudson-Fulton celebration along the Hudson River. [New York, 1909.]

NEW YORK HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Official Robert Fulton exhibition of the Hudson-Fulton Commission 27 September – 30 October 1909. [New York, 1909.]

This was the completest exhibition of Fulton material made during the celebration. It did not include Henry Hudson matter.

UNITED NEW NETHERLAND COMPANY, CHARTERED IN 1614 AND DUTCH WEST INDIA COMPANY CHARTERED IN 1621

The VELASCO or stolen map, 1610.

The earliest map showing the Hudson River to any extent and the name Manahata, though the island is not defined. Information surreptitiously procured by Spain. The map is now in the Spanish archives at Simancas, from which the drawing exhibited was made.

For a reproduction of the map see Brown's *Genesis of the United States.*

MAY, JAN CORNELISZ

De reis . . . naar de Ijszee en de Amerikaansche kust, 1611–1612. Verzameling van bescheiden uitgegeven door Mr. S. Muller Fz. 's-Gravenhage, 1909.

Issued as v. 1 of the publications of the Linschoten-Vereeniging.

This is a journal of May's voyage of discovery in the ships *De Vos* and *De Craen.* He made additions to the geographical knowledge gleaned from Hudson's voyage of 1609, and his voyage spurred on the Dutch skippers to greater activity.

This skipper May was an uncle of Cornelis Jacobsz. May, another commander who brought over the first settlers in 1624 and became the first Director of New Netherland.

United New Netherland and Dutch West India Companies, continued

UNITED NEW NETHERLAND COMPANY

Charter granted by the States General October 11, 1614, bestowing a limited monopoly of trade in New Netherland for four voyages to be undertaken within three years.

Facsimile of the original manuscript in the Rijksarchief at The Hague.

An English translation was printed in *Documents relating to the colonial history of the State of New York*, v. 1 (1856), p. 11 ff. This translation needs revision.

FIGURATIVE map of Adriaen Block, 1614.

Known as the "vellum map" and really earlier than the large "paper map" also exhibited. Both are in the Rijksarchief at The Hague. This map is the first to represent Manhattan Island and it also recognized the insularity of Long Island. The name New Netherland appears here on a map for the first time.

Another lithographic issue of 1841 also exhibited.

FRANCUS, JACOBUS, PSEUD. OF CONRAD MEMMIUS

Relationis historicæ continuatio . . . Historische Beschreibung aller denckwürdigen Historien . . . biss auff diese Fastenmessz . . . 1615. Franckfürt am Mayn, 1615.

So far as known this is the earliest contemporary printed account of the discoveries made by Hendricksen and Block, of Block's return to Amsterdam with the two Indian lads, nicknamed Orson and Valentine, and of the naming of the newly-discovered country. See p. 44–45.

FIGURATIVE map of Cornelis Hendricksen, 1616. (Lithograph reproduction made in 1841.)

Known as the "paper map." As here reproduced it professes to be earlier, but that is no longer tenable and the Block map is accepted as the earlier of the two.

The Hendricksen map presents for the first time the results of survey work inland and so records Dutch place names along the Hudson River for the first time.

DUTCH WEST INDIA COMPANY

Placcaet By de Hooghmo: Heeren Staten Generael der Vereenighde Nederlanden, ghemaeckt op 'tbesluyt vande West-Indissche Compagnie. 's Graven-Haghe, 1621.

This is the edict issued by the States General paving the way for a charter.

Octroy, By de Hooghe Mogende Heeren Staten Generael, verleent aende West-Indische Compagnie, in date den derden Junii 1621. 's Graven-Haghe, 1621.

This is the first and official printed Dutch edition of the charter granted to the West India Company by the States General.

An English edition appeared in the same year. What is perhaps the only known copy is in the Henry E. Huntington Library at San Marino, Cal.

A French edition appeared at Paris in 1623, a copy of which is in the Bibliothèque Nationale, Paris.

The Dutch text, with additions, was printed again three times in 1623, once in 1624, twice in 1629, and once in 1642. The official text as printed in the *Groot Placaet Boeck*, v. 1 (1658), columns 565–578, is also exhibited.

A new and reliable English translation by A. J. F. van Laer is included in *Van Rensselaer Bowier manuscripts*, Albany, 1908, p. 86 ff., accompanied by the Dutch text.

A BRIEFE Relation of the discovery and plantation of New England. London, 1622.

The first English publication to mention the Dutch on the Hudson River and the first appearance in print of the application of Hudson's name to the river.

There are modern reprints in the *Collections* of the Massachusetts Historical Society,

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A Briefe Relation of the discovery and plantation of New England, *continued*

series 2, v. 9 (1832), p. 1–25, and in *Sir Ferdinando Gorges and his province of Maine*, published by the Prince Society, p. 203–240.

West-Indische Spieghel. Door Athanasium Inga, Peruaen, van Cusco. [Amstelredam, 1624.]

Among other things the volume relates to Spanish tyranny in the island of Espagnola (Haiti) and other places. It gives an account of discoveries by Jacob la Maire in 1616. The work was published while the Dutch were at war with Spain.

Berthold Fernow suggested that the volume was "probably" by Willem Usselinx, originator of the Dutch West India Company. It is more likely of composite origin.

Nothing in the text relates to New Netherland or New England. Its particular interest is a very unusual map, here exhibited, which is the oldest engraved map showing the name "Hudsons R," and the only map published in Holland during the early period with that name.

Brakel, S. van

De Hollandsche handelscompagnieën der zeventiende eeuw. 's-Gravenhage, 1908.

A history of the origin and organization of Dutch trading companies during the seventeenth century, including chapters on the United New Netherland Company of 1614 and the Dutch West India Company.

Rees, Otto van

Geschiedenis der Nederlandsche volkplantingen in Noord-Amerika. Tiel, 1855.

The author, a lawyer of Utrecht, in three addresses sets forth the work of the Dutch West India Company, in settling and administering New Netherland under its officials.

His sources of information are exhibited in an appendix.

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FIRST ADMINISTRATION — CORNELIS JACOBSEN MAY: 1624
SECOND ADMINISTRATION — WILLEM VERHULST: 1625

Wassenaer, Nicolaes van, and Barent Lampe

Historisch verhael alder ghedenck-weerdichste geschiedenissen . . . in Europa . . . voorgevallen syn. Amstelredam, 1622–35. 21 parts.

Parts 1 to 17 by Wassenaer and 18–21 by Lampe.

Accounts of the first settlement, with history and descriptions of New Netherland, are in part 6 (folio 144); part 7 (folios 10 and 11); part 8 (folios 84 and 85); part 9 (folios 37, 40, 44, and 123); part 10 (folios 82 and 83, misnumbered 81 and 84); part 2 (folios 37 and 38); part 16 (folio 13); part 18 (folios 94 to 98).

Wassenaer, Nicolaes van, and Barent Lampe, *continued*

Issued as semi-annual annals contemporary with the events narrated.

One of the few really important sources of information respecting the early history of New Netherland.

First made use of by American historians by J. R. Brodhead in *Collections* of New York Historical Society, series 2, v. 2 (1849), p. 355–366. The first English translation of parts relating to New Netherland appeared in *Documentary history of New York*, v. 3 (1850).

The best English translation of all that has relation to New Netherland is in Jameson's *Narratives of New Netherland*, p. 67–96.

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BAUDART, WILLEM, preacher of Zutphen

Memorien. 2. ed. Arnhem and Zutphen, 1624–25. 2 v.

Designed by the author to be a continuation of Van Meteren's historical annals. This second edition is brought down through a supplementary book 16 to cover the year 1624.

Note on p. 63, one of the earliest printed references to the first colony of immigrants in New Netherland, together with a quotation from a letter written from there describing the advantages of the country.

Books 13 and 15 of the second part give the text of the *Octroy* establishing the Dutch West India Company and subsequent modifications thereof.

The account of the first emigrants to New Netherland is printed in E. B. O'Callaghan, *The documentary history of the State of New York*, v. 4.

[The so-called VAN RAPPARD documents, 1624–1626.]

In: F. C. Wieder, *De stichting van New York*, p. 97–179.

The Dutch texts of five documents relating to New Netherland reprinted with useful notes and a pertinent introduction.

These documents were first printed in the volume, also exhibited, published by The Henry E. Huntington Library, in 1924, as *Documents relating to New Netherland*.

LAET, JOANNES DE

Nieuwe Wereldt ofte Beschrijvinghe van West-Indien. Leyden, 1625.

This is the first edition of this notable work by a Director of the Dutch West India Company, who was one of the inner circle or executive body known as the College of the Nineteen.

Book III, chapters 7 to 11, is a description of New Netherland. Moreover, chapter 7 on Hudson's discovery is perhaps based on a now lost journal of Hudson and other papers of Hudson.

LAET, JOANNES DE, *continued*

Translations of the New Netherland matter are in *Collections* of New York Historical Society, series 2, v. 1 (1841), p. 281–316 and v. 2 (1849), p. 371–373, and the best translation, embodying the longer additions of the Dutch edition of 1630 and the variants of the Latin and French versions, is in Jameson's *Narratives of New Netherland*, p. 36–60.

Beschrijvinghe van West-Indien. Leyden, 1630.

The second Dutch edition, the first containing the important map Nova Anglia, Novum Belgium et Virginia.

RASIERE, ISAACK DE, secretary of New Netherland.

Letter to the directors of the Dutch West India Company, Chamber at Amsterdam. Dated at Fort Amsterdam on the island of Manhattes, September 23, 1626.

It is the earliest letter written on Manhattan Island, the text of which has been preserved.

This text is a contemporary copy now in the Henry E. Huntington Library and was printed for the first time in facsimile, with transliteration and an English translation in *Documents relating to New Netherland*, edited by A. J. F. van Laer, issued by that Library in 1924. The Dutch text has been reprinted (1925) in F. C. Wieder's *De stichting van New York*, p. 161–179, with critical and explanatory notes.

HOWELL, GEORGE ROGERS

The date of the settlement of the colony of New York. Albany, 1897.

Publication no. 1 of the New York Society, Founders and Patriots of America.

The first substantial argument in favor of placing the first settlement under the Dutch West India Company at Fort Orange (Albany) in the year 1624.

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VERSTEEG, DINGMAN

New Netherland's founding. [New York,] 1924.

Published by the Holland Society of New York.

The writer suggested 1625 as the first settlement of Manhattan Island.

WIEDER, FREDERIK CASPAR

De stichting van New York in Juli 1625. Reconstructies en nieuwe gegevens ontleend aan de Van Rappard documenten. 's-Gravenhage, 1925.

no. 26 of the publications of the Linschoten-Vereeniging.

The author's hypothesis is that the so-called Van Rappard documents lend themselves to the interpretation that Manhattan Island was first settled by workmen in the employ of the Dutch West India Company in July, 1625. His theory rests principally in assuming that tentative instructions were carried out literally and that Fort Amsterdam was then begun as a large five-angled fort with buildings, shops, etc., within. He admits that contemporary writings are silent in respect of supporting his findings. His demonstrations are ingenious, his reasoning is speculative, but his deductions are unconvincing.

The soundest part of the volume is the section in which the author discusses the primitive form of government in New Netherland, and the notes and other data which accompany the reprinted Dutch texts of the documents. Reviewed in *American historical review*, v. 31 (1926), p. 529–531.

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THIRD ADMINISTRATION — PETER MINUIT: 1626–1632

PURCHASE OF MANHATTAN ISLAND AND FOUNDING OF NEW AMSTERDAM

WASSENAER, NICOLAES VAN

Earliest printed account of the settlement of Manhattan Island in 1626.

In his: *Historisch Verhael*, deel 12, folios 37–38.

Accompanied by typewritten English translations.

SCHAGHEN, PIETER

Letter written at Amsterdam November 5, 1626. Announcing that the day before the ship "Wapen van Amsterdam" (Arms of Amsterdam) had arrived loaded with furs and bringing news, especially that the Island Manhattes had been bought from the Indians for the value of sixty guilders or about twenty-four dollars.

Photograph from the original record in the Rijksarchief at The Hague.

SCHAGHEN, PETER, *continued*

English translations have appeared in *Documents relating to colonial history of the State of New York*, v. 1, p. 37–38, and often since elsewhere; and the Dutch text with an English translation in *Year book* of the Holland Society of New York for 1890, p. 152–153.

There are three independent proofs of the purchase, first the Schaghen letter, second in Wassenaer's *Historisch Verhael*, both contemporary, and the minutes of the hearing before Governor Lovelace and his council, April 9, 1670, when the old records were produced as proof, printed in *New York Executive Council minutes*, v. 1 (1910), p. 47.

PUTNAM, RUTH

The purchase of New York.

In: *Putnam's magazine*, v. 7 (1909–10), p. 193.

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MEDAL commemorating the purchase of Manhattan Island. Designed by Hermon A. MacNeil, 1926.

Lent by The American Numismatic Society.

COLLEGIATE REFORMED DUTCH CHURCH, NEW YORK

1626–1926. Tercentenary of the City of New York. A tribute to the settlement of Manhattan Island, now New York, by the Dutch, early in the seventeenth century. New York, 1926.

Issued to commemorate the 300th anniversary of the purchase of Manhattan Island by Peter Minuit.

FORD, WORTHINGTON CHAUNCEY

The earliest years of the Dutch settlement of New Netherland.

In: *Proceedings* of the New York State Historical Association, v. 17 (1919), p. 74–86.

KAPP, FRIEDRICH

Peter Minnewit aus Wesel.

In: *Historische Zeitschrift*, Bd. 15 (1866), p. 225–250.

A German newspaper clipping is also exhibited, reporting the ceremonies at Wesel on May 4, 1926, in honor of Peter Minuit, by his native town.

MINES, JOHN FLAVEL

The island of Manhattan. A bit of earth, by Felix Oldboy [pseud.]. New York, 1890.

PALTSITS, VICTOR HUGO

The founding of New Amsterdam in 1626. Worcester, Mass., 1925.

A limited separate issue from *Proceedings* of the American Antiquarian Society for April, 1924.

PALTSITS, VICTOR HUGO, *continued*

The author's conclusions are given on p. 17, "that, so far as the present confines of the State of New York are concerned, the first settlement was made in 1624 at Fort Orange (now Albany); that this settlement was augmented by other settlers in 1625; that the first permanent settlement on Manhattan Island was begun in 1626 by the founding of New Amsterdam."

VOSBURGH, ROYDEN WOODWARD

The settlement of New Netherland, 1624–1626, and Corrections.

In: *New York genealogical and biographical record*, v. 55 (1924), p. 3–15, 211–213.

Also issued separately.

ORIGINAL deed issued by Director General Peter Minuit and his council, confirmatory of the Indian purchase of Rensselaerswyck lands by Kiliaen van Rensselaer, done on Manhattan Island, August 13, 1630. With seal.

Shown here because of the autographs of Minuit, his council, the schout, and vice-secretary, and as a premier document written and signed at Fort Amsterdam.

For a more particular account of this document, see *Bulletin* of The New York Public Library, v. 27 (1923), p. 255–256, acknowledging its gift by Edward S. Harkness, Esq.

RASIERE, ISAACK DE, Secretary of New Netherland

Photographic reproduction of his memoir to Samuel Blommaert, from the original manuscript in the Rijksarchief at The Hague. Written in Holland in 1628.

This memoir was discovered in 1848 in a bundle of papers by F. A. G. Campbell (it lacks four leaves). He sent a transcript to J. R. Brodhead, which the latter presented to the New York Historical Society, and it was printed under his direction in the first, though poor, English translation in this Society's *Collections*, series 2, v. 2 (1849), p.

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RASIERE, ISAACK DE, *continued*

339–354, where it was also dated too early as "1627". A revision was made by William I. Hull for Jameson's *Narratives of New Netherland* (1909). A large part of the Dutch text was first printed in Jessurun's *Kilaen van Rensselaer* (1917), and for the first time the complete Dutch text appeared on p. 265–278 of the *Nederlandsch archief voor kerkgeschiedenis*, new series, xv (1919), as an appendix to a paper on De Rasière by A. Eekhof.

MICHAELIUS, JONAS

Manhattan in 1628; as described in the recently discovered autograph letter of Jonas Michaëlius written from the settlement on the 8th of August of that year and now first published; with a review of the letter and an historical sketch of New Netherland to 1628, by D. Versteeg. New York, 1904.

Letter to Joannes Foreest, of Hoorn, Holland, one time a Director of the Dutch West India Company. Dated from Manhattan Island, August 8, 1628.

The original manuscript was among a consignment of manuscripts belonging to the Foreest family sold at auction at Amsterdam in 1902. It was then bought by William Harris Arnold, of Nutley, N. J., who caused it to be published, facsimile and an English translation, by Dingman Versteeg, in 1904, in an edition of 50 copies on Imperial Japan paper and 175 copies on Holland hand-made paper.

The original letter was sold in the Arnold sale at New York in November, 1924.

Earliest extant original letter written on Manhattan Island.

Letter to Domine Adrianus Smoutius, a pastor of the Dutch Reformed Church at Amsterdam. Dated from Manhattan Island, August 11, 1628.

The original manuscript. It was discovered among the papers of Jacobus Koning, clerk of the fourth judicial district of Amsterdam. Subsequently it was owned by Dr. George Henry Moore, and at the sale of his manuscripts in 1893 was bought by the Lenox Library (now consolidated in The New York Public Library).

Second extant original letter written on Manhattan Island and only three days later than the other Michaëlius letter of which a facsimile is also exhibited.

The first minister of the Dutch Reformed Church in the United States [Jonas Michaëlius. A letter written by him to Adrianus Smoutius, Aug. 11, 1628. With preface by H. C. Murphy.] The Hague [1858].

The first English translation by Henry Cruse Murphy.

This translation was reprinted in *New York colonial documents*, v. 2 (1858); in *Collections* of New York Historical Society, Publication Fund series for 1880, p. 365–387, and elsewhere.

The Dutch text was printed for the first time, by J. C. Bodel Nijenhuis in *Kerkhistorisch archief*, deel 1 (1857), p. 365 ff.

Editions accompanied by a full-size facsimile and transliteration came out at Amsterdam in 1876 and 1883.

Murphy's translation revised by Rev. John G. Fagg, with a reduced facsimile of the manuscript, appeared in *Year book* of (Collegiate) Reformed Protestant Dutch Church, New York City (1896) and also as a separate pamphlet. Fagg's revision is also in *Ecclesiastical records of the State of New York*, v. 1 (1901), and Jameson's *Narratives of New Netherland* (1909), virtually all exhibited.

EEKHOF, ALBERT

Jonas Michaëlius, founder of the Church in New Netherland; his life and work. Leyden, 1926.

Dr. Eekhof, Professor of Church History at the University of Leyden, in this study presents much that is new about the first Dutch minister of New Netherland, his family and his career. Notable is the discovery of a new letter of Michaëlius of 1630, here exhibited, in which the clergyman gives Peter

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Minuit a bad character and tells of the corruption of his government and council. Two newly-discovered letters written to Michaëlius are also printed. All texts are given in the original with English translations.

MIDDLE DUTCH CHURCH, New York

In memoriam. Peter Minuit, first colonial governor and elder. Sebastian Jansen Krol, Jan Huyck, the Krankenbezoekers. The Rev. Jonas Michaëlius, first minister. Jeremiah C. Lanphier, founder of the Fulton Street Prayer-Meeting. Presented at the memorial service, Middle Dutch Church . . . November second, A.D. 1900. [New York, 1900.]

NOORT RIVIER in Nieuw Neerlandt

The North River in New Netherland, depicted about 1630. Reproduced from a copy drawn by J. Vingboon about 1660, now in the Library of Congress.

Shows the localities and place-names on the Hudson River.

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FOURTH ADMINISTRATION — BASTIAEN JANSZ. KROL: 1632–1633

FIFTH ADMINISTRATION — WOUTER VAN TWILLER: 1633–1638

VRYHEDEN By de Vergaderinghe van de Negenthiene vande Geoctroyeerde West-Indische Compagnie vergunt aen allen den ghenen die eenighe Colonien in Nieu-Nederlandt sullen planten. Amstelredam, 1630.

Freedoms and exemptions of the Dutch West India Company.

This is the original edition of these orders by which the Directors of the Dutch West India Company, on June 7, 1629, granted encouragement for the planting of colonies and settlers in New Netherland, under which patroonships were begun.

The first separate publication relating to New Netherland.

A facsimile reprint was made in 1875 for George Henry Moore, also shown.

The Dutch text is also in Wassenaer's *Historisch Verhael*, deel 18 (1630), and is an appendix to the Dutch *Articulen* relating to Brazil, printed at Amsterdam in 1631.

An English translation made by Abraham Lott, Jr., in 1762, was used by Moulton in his *History of New York*, part 2 (1826). This translation slightly modified has been reprinted in *Collections* of New York Historical Society, series 2, v. 1 (1841), p. 370–377, and elsewhere.

A revised translation from the text as it appeared in Wassenaer's *Historisch Verhael* is in Jameson's *Narratives of New Netherland* (1909), and another revised translation from the text as it appeared in 1631 is in *Van Rensselaer Bowier manuscripts* (1908), accompanied by the Dutch text.

ORIGINAL designs of coats-of-arms for New Netherland and New Amsterdam, 1630.

In the Dutch memorandum, which accompanies the three colored designs, we have a minute from the Book of Resolutions of the Nineteen or executive body of the Directors of the Dutch West India Company, respecting a session at Middelburg in Zeeland on Saturday, December 28, 1630, in the afternoon, at which time Director Michael Paauw (patroon of Pavonia, now Jersey City) displayed a drawing of the arms of New Netherland, being the lower one here shown with the black beaver and surmounted with the crown of a count, which the meeting approved.

New Netherland — Administrations of Krol and Van Twiller, 1632–38, continued

ORIGINAL DESIGNS OF COATS-OF-ARMS FOR NEW NETHERLAND . . ., *continued*

The right hand design is the arms of New Amsterdam.

The upper left hand design was rejected as not good enough.

WILDE, EDWARD SEYMOUR

The civic ancestry of New York — City and State. New York: Published by the Author, 1913.

Plate VII exhibited, a coat-of-arms of New Amsterdam, in color.

HALL, EDWARD HAGAMAN

History of the seal and flag.

In: John B. Pine, editor, *Seal and flag of the City of New York* (New York, 1915), p. 22–67.

EEKHOF, ALBERT

Bastiaen Jansz. Krol, krankenbezoeker, kommies en kommandeur van Nieuw-Nederland (1595–1645). 's-Gravenhage, 1910.

An excellent monograph, bringing new information to light respecting the civil and church history of New Netherland.

MASON, JOHN

[Letter of Captain John Mason concerning the Dutch as interlopers, April 2, 1632, and Sir Ferdinando Gorges's letter touching upon a project for dispossessing the Dutch in New Netherland, April 6, 1632.]

In: *Documents relating to the colonial history of the State of New York*, v. 3 (1853), p. 16–18.

LAET, JOANNES DE

Beschrijvinghe van West-Indien.

Here are shown the Latin version, Leyden, 1633, and the French version, Leyden, 1640.

Dr. J. Franklin Jameson has described these versions as follows: "The text of the former is more carefully prepared than that of the latter. In both, the map . . . appears unchanged; nor are additional authorities cited in the preface. But both these later editions show signs of that increasing interest in natural history which marked De Laet's later years. They contain excellent plates of American animals and plants. There are similar additions to the text, so that chapters 10 and 11 of Book III are mostly new matter; on the other hand, many passages of the Dutch are much abridged in these later translations." — *Narratives of New Netherland*, p. 35.

VAN LAER, ARNOLD JOHAN FERDINAND, editor

Some early Dutch manuscripts. Letters to Adriaen Gerritsen Papendorp.

In: *Quarterly journal* of the New York State Historical Association, v. 3 (1922), p. 221–233.

Has some reference to events of 1634.

TWILLER, WOUTER VAN

Letters of Wouter van Twiller and the Director General and Council of New Netherland to the Amsterdam Chamber of the Dutch West India Company, August 14, 1636. [Edited by A. J. F. van Laer.]

In: *Quarterly journal* of the New York State Historical Association, v. 1 (1919–20), p. 44–50.

NEW NETHERLAND

SIXTH ADMINISTRATION — WILLEM KIEFT: 1638–1647

DUTCH grants map, lithographed in colors for Valentine's Manual, 1857, and several times republished.

This interpretation of the original Dutch grants in New Amsterdam is no longer useful. It is quite faulty in the plotting of locations, as can be seen by comparing with it the new Grants map made by the Macarthys for Stokes's *Iconography*, exhibited in an enlarged reproduction for easy comparison.

MAP of the Dutch grants. Compiled by J[ennie] F. and C[harles] H. Macarthy for [I. N. Phelps Stokes'] The Iconography of Manhattan Island. 1914–1916. Copyrighted in 1916.

This fine production has displaced all other attempts to solve the riddle of the original Dutch patents and conveyances in old New Amsterdam.

Enlarged photostat made for exhibition purposes only from Stokes, v. 2 (1916).

KIEFT, WILLEM, Director-General of New Netherland.

Autograph signature attached to a land grant to Jan Celis, alias Old Jans, for acreage situate on Maspeth Kil on Long Island, November 30, 1644 (new style).

Original document owned by the Library.

HAZARD, SAMUEL

Historical collections. Philadelphia, 1792–94. 2 v.

There are statistics on the fur trade of New Netherland and the cost of government in v. 1, p. 397. Official correspondence of Kieft and Stuyvesant with New England, principally respecting boundaries, is in v. 2.

TROUW-BOECK oft Register der Personen die Hier ingeschreeven, en Hier, oft buijten dese Stadt New-Yorke Getrouwt zijn. Van den 11 dec. 1639. totten 15 Maij 1652.

In: Samuel S. Purple, *Index to marriage records* (New York, 1890).

Shows facsimile from the original marriage register of the Dutch church.

PURPLE, SAMUEL SMITH, editor.

Records of the Reformed Dutch Church in New Amsterdam and New York. Marriages from 11 December, 1639, to 26 August, 1801. Edited, with introduction, by Samuel S. Purple. New York, 1890.

Published by the New York Genealogical and Biographical Society.

The MANATUS map — Castello copy. Date depicted, 1639.

Earliest survey of Manhattan and its environs.

Photograph from the original manuscript in the Villa Castello, near Florence, Italy.

This remarkable survey of the environs of greater New York "is the starting-point in the study of topography of New York City, taking us back to the days of its infancy." It is also the earliest depiction of any of the natural water courses of the city.

Lent by I. N. Phelps Stokes, Esq.

The MANATUS map — Harrisse copy. Date depicted, 1639.

Earliest survey of Manhattan and its environs.

Reproduced from the original manuscript in the Library of Congress, Washington, D C.

The original survey was probably made by Andries Hudden.

It is incorrect to call this map by the name of Vingboon.

New Netherland — Administration of Kieft, 1638–47, continued

VAN WINKLE, EDWARD

Manhattan, 1624–1639. New York, 1916.

A monograph largely based upon the Manatus map (Harrisse copy).

ACKNOWLEDGMENT which attests that Burger Jorissen before Secretary Cornelis van Tienhoven made conveyance of a house and lot to Cornelis Melijn, in New Amsterdam, situate at the present Pearl Street, north of Broad, December 15, 1644. Manuscript in Dutch, together with an English copy attested by David Jameson, deputy secretary.

LAET, JOANNES DE

Historie ofte Jaerlijck Verhael. Leyden, 1644.

This work covers the activities of the Dutch West India Company from its beginning to 1630. There is virtually nothing in it about New Netherland. The author intended to continue the work, but that was not done.

Gives the Charter of 1621 and other documents, as well as a list of the Directors of the Company.

CASTELL, WILLIAM

A Short Discoverie of the Coasts and Continent of America. London, 1644.

The author was an English clergyman. New Netherland is described briefly. As an early English account it is interesting but not important. This portion was reprinted in the *Collections* of the New York Historical Society (1857), with an introduction.

A full reprint is in the Earl of Oxford's *Collections of voyages and travels*, v. 2 (1745).

JOGUES, FATHER ISAAC

Novum Belgium. [Dated:] Des 3 Rivieres en la Nouvelle France 3 Augusti, 1646.

In this document the Jesuit missionary narrates his experiences and observations in New Amsterdam in 1643. The original manuscript is in St. Mary's College, Montreal.

First printed in any form in *Documentary history of New York*, v. 4 (Albany, 1851). The French text was first printed in 1852 in an appendix to a reprint of Bressani's *Relatione*.

Novum Belgium.

In: *Documentary history of New York*, v. 4 (Albany, 1851).

The first English translation by Rev. Félix Martin, and first printing thereof in any form.

Novum Belgium.

In: F. G. Bressani, *Relation abrégée . . . Traduit . . . et augmenté . . . par le R. P. F. Martin* (Montreal, 1852).

The first printing of the French text.

Novum Belgium.

In: *Collections* of New York Historical Society, series 2, v. 3, part 1 (1857), in the "Jogues Papers".

A new English translation by J. G. Shea.

A preprint of these papers was issued in 1856.

Novum Belgium.

In: J. G. Shea, *Relations* (New York, 1862).

The French text.

Novum Belgium.

New York, 1862.

A privately-printed volume. With a totally different translation by J. G. Shea and for the first time a facsimile of the original manuscript.

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JOGUES, FATHER ISAAC

Novum Belgium.

In: R. G. Thwaites, *Jesuit relations*, v. 28 (1898), p. 104–115.

The best modern printing of text and parallel English translation, with a bibliography by V. H. Paltsits of its various issues.

JOGUES, FATHER ISAAC

Novum Belgium.

In: Félix Martin, *Le P. Isaac Jogues, de la Compagnie de Jésus, premier apôtre des Iroquois* (Paris, 1873).

Another edition was issued in Quebec, 1874.

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SEVENTH ADMINISTRATION — PETER STUYVESANT: 1647–1664

STUYVESANT coat-of-arms. Colored.

In: *Journal of American history*, v. 3 (1909), facing p. 146.

PAULDING, JAMES KIRKE

Affairs and men of New Amsterdam, in the time of Governor Peter Stuyvesant. New York, 1843.

TUCKERMAN, BAYARD

Peter Stuyvesant. New York, 1893. ("Makers of America.")

Well-written, but has a good many errors.

The late Professor Herbert L. Osgood said of it, in Larned's *Literature of American history*, p. 99–100:

"A useful and well-written account of the life of Stuyvesant and the history of New Netherland during the last twenty years of its existence", and "makes apparent the reasons for the failure of the Dutch at colonization here. One chapter contains a compact and valuable account of the topography and social conditions of New Amsterdam just before the English conquest."

ORDINANCE of Director General Peter Stuyvesant and his council, dated May 31, 1647, forbidding the sale of intoxicating liquors on Sunday. Autotype facsimile by Edward Bierstadt from the original Dutch records in the office of the County Clerk of New York.

WINTHROP, JOHN

Letter of Gov. John Winthrop of Massachusetts, dated at Boston, September 30, 1647 (O.S.) To Director General Stuyvesant (whom he addresses as Peter Stephenson).

In this letter Winthrop presents his salutation to the newly-arrived Director General of New Netherland "with all friendly and due Respect", and expresses the desire and endeavor of always maintaining a neighborly correspondence.

Original lent by Bronson Winthrop, Esq.

PLANTAGENET, BEAUCHAMP, pseud.

A description of the Province of New Albion. London, 1648.

This is the original edition.

It was printed again at London, 1650; reprinted in Force's *Tracts*, v. 2, and in Gideon D. Scull's *The Evelyns in America* (Oxford, 1881). There are also documents on the subject in *Collections* of New York Historical Society, v. 2 (1869).

A publication extraordinary for its absurdities and baseless fabrications.

"So far as there is a shadow of truth in this tract, it can be traced to the printed works of Purchas, Captain John Smith, and other contemporary authors, as well as to the diplomatic history of the times, from which the

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fabricator had drawn his cues for the distortion of truth and the concoction of statements that are contrary to all contemporary history."

The motive of the tract was to bolster up unworthy speculative schemes.

PENINGTON, JOHN

An examination of Beauchamp Plantagenet's Description of the province of New Albion.

In: *Memoirs* of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania, v. 4, part 1 (1840), p. 133–165.

An excellent critical examination and analysis.

He exposes many falsehoods and shows that the alleged name of the author is a fabrication.

VARLO, CHARLES

The floating ideas of nature. London, 1796. 2 v.

In v. 2, p. 82 ff. there are references to Sir Edward Plowden, Earl of Albion.

BREEDEN-RAEDT aende Vereenichde Nederlandsche Provintien. Antwerpen, 1649.

This is the earliest separate publication about affairs in New Netherland. It is in the form of a conversation held aboard ship between a fictitious skipper and nine other persons, who are made to assume different stations or nationalities. The skipper is the principal speaker and he arraigns the administrations of Kieft and Stuyvesant unsparingly. It is evident that the unknown author had intimate personal knowledge of affairs in the colony or received details directly from somebody who had knowledge of the troubles between the two Directors-General and the representatives of the commonalty. Two copies are shown here with variant title-pages.

An English translation of extracts was presented for the first time by F. W. Cowan in Frederik Muller's *Catalogue of books relating to America* (Amsterdam, 1850). Also issued separately in the same year; reprinted in *Documentary history of New York*, v. 4 (1851).

A new and complete translation by Henry C. Murphy with the dubious title, *Broad-Advice*, accompanies Murphy's translation of the *Vertoogh* or *Remonstrance of New Netherland* (New York, 1854), published for James Lenox, afterwards the founder of the Lenox Library, now a part of The New York Public Library. This was reprinted in *Collections* of New York Historical Society, series 2, v. 3 (1857), p. 237 ff.

HOLLANDSCHE MERCURIUS 1650–1690. 40 parts.

Material relating to New Netherland is in deel 4, p. 41–43; deel 6, p. 130–131; deel 7, p. 146–147, 149; deel 13, p. 3–4; deel 15, p. 10–15, 153–155, and deel 17, p. 16.

Very little about New Amsterdam except what is given in deel 15 under 1664.

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Official list of New Netherland, showing the salaries and board money of each official, including the soldiers, schoolmaster, and clergymen. 1650.

Extract from the Articles of Agreement entered into and concluded at Hartford in Connecticut on September 19, 1650, between the delegates of New England and Stuyvesant.

The well-known Hartford Boundary Conference.

DONCK, ADRIAEN VAN DER, AND OTHERS

Vertoogh van Nieu-Neder-Land. 's-Graven-Hage, 1650.

This work is the first in point of time that records the early history of New Netherland. Besides summarizing the events from the beginning to 1649, and giving an account of the Indians and of the physical features of the country, it is notable for the Remonstrance

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of the Board of Nine Men to the States General. It was prepared with the object of obtaining redresses of grievances — a protest against the arbitrary acts of Kieft and Stuyvesant.

From this printed text an English translation was made by Henry C. Murphy, for *Collections* of New York Historical Society, series 2, v. 2 (1849), p. 251–338, which was also issued separately. A copy of this separate is exhibited. This translation appeared again, entitled: *The Representation of New Netherland* (New York, 1854); and revised by A. Clinton Crowell it is a part of Jameson's *Narratives of New Netherland* (1909).

Vertoogh van Nieu Nederland (Notarial copy).

Besides the text as printed at The Hague in 1650, there exists the original manuscript of the notarial copy, preserved in the Rijksarchief at The Hague; but this does not differ very materially from the printed text.

This manuscript text was translated into English by E. B. O'Callaghan as *Remonstrance of New Netherland* and first appeared in *Documents relating to the colonial history of the State of New York*, v. 1 and also separately (Albany, 1856); and again in *Pennsylvania Archives*, series 2, v. 5.

TIENHOVEN, CORNELIS VAN, Secretary of New Netherland.

Answer to the representation of New Netherland [otherwise known as *Vertoogh*]. Translated by Henry Cruse Murphy.

In: *Collections* of New York Historical Society, series 2, v. 2 (1849), p. 329–338.

Another translation by Edmund Bailey O'Callaghan is in *Documents relating to the colonial history of the State of New York*, v. 1 (1856), p. 422 ff. This translation also appeared the same year in the separate issue of his edition of the *Remonstrance*, Albany, 1856.

TIENHOVEN, CORNELIS VAN, Secretary of New Netherland, *continued*

Murphy's translation revised from the original manuscript in the Rijksarchief at The Hague by William I. Hull is in Jameson's *Narratives of New Netherland*, p. 359–377. This is the preferred form in an English dress.

Novi BELGII novæque Angliæ nec non partis Virginiæ tabula multis in locis emendata.

View of New Amsterdam and map of New Netherland, by Nicolas Joannes Visscher, about 1655.

Colored and uncolored copies are shown.

The most interesting engraved view produced during the Dutch régime in New Netherland and which survived, singularly enough, for about a hundred years as an alleged depiction of the city.

The N. J. Visscher map, reissued with many corrections and additions, the name Philadelphia among them, was brought out by Nicolas Visscher, about 1683. Also exhibited.

An outline reproduction of the N. J. Visscher map and view was made as a key map for Asher's *Bibliographical essay* (appendix). This also is shown.

EAMES, WILBERFORCE

Two New York views of about 1650.

In: *Bulletin* of The New York Public Library, v. 28 (1924), p. 679–681.

The views are "Nova Amsteldam" and the inset view on the N. J. Visscher map.

MONTANUS, ARNOLDUS

De Nieuwe en Onbekende Weereld: of Beschryving van America. Amsterdam, 1671.

New Netherland is described on p. 123–134, with a map of Novum-Belgium and an engraved view of New Amsterdam.

The chapter is based on the works of De Laet and Van der Donck, and on N. J. Visscher's map.

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OGILBY, JOHN

America: being an accurate Description of the New World. London, 1671.

There are also rare copies known with a predated title, 1670, one of which is also exhibited.

Description of New Netherland, now New York, is on p. 168–182, with a view of Novum Amsterodamum.

The description is not a mere translation from Montanus. It is materially amplified by large extracts taken bodily from Denton's *Brief Description of New-York*, yet without acknowledgment.

With few exceptions the plates in Ogilby are the same copperplates engraved for Montanus.

DAPPER, OLFERT

Die unbekante Neue Welt. Amsterdam, 1673.

Really a German version of Montanus by the general editor of a series or collection of voyages and descriptions of foreign countries, published at Amsterdam from 1670 to 1688.

New Netherland is described on p. 142 ff., with the view of *Novum Amsterodamum.*

The copperplates are the same as were used in the Dutch Montanus and the English Ogilby, only they show wear.

AA, PIETER VAN DER

La Galerie agreable du Monde. Leide [1729?]. 66 v.

Edition limited to one hundred sets.

A remarkable collection of copperplates, engraved from time to time by the best Dutch masters and reassembled here on a geographical system. Volumes 63 to 66 relate wholly to America. v. 64, plate 29, contains the Montanus view of New Amsterdam with inset views of Indians and animals of New Netherland.

v. 63, chap. II., Nouvelle Hollande, a chapter mainly about the Indians of New Netherland.

BESCHRIJVINGHE van Virginia, Niew Nederlandt, Nieuw Engelandt en d'Eylanden Bermudes, Berbados, en S. Christoffel. Amsterdam, Joost Hartgers, 1651.

This anonymous compilation, often quoted by the publisher's name, is merely a reprint without acknowledgment of parts of the *Vertoogh* (1650), of the second Dutch edition of De Laet (1630), and the Mohawk tract by Megapolensis (1644). It has a reduced copy of the 1630 de Laet map with additional names, shows the St. Lawrence River in part as "The Great River of New Netherland", and locates Cohoes Falls. As a collector's item it is chiefly bought for a pretended first engraved view of New Amsterdam (here exhibited). There are those who see in this view nothing more than an artist's conception or misconception, while some others have faith in it as though it had photographic accuracy. Put in relation with contemporary documents it is an enigma.

GARDYNER, GEORGE

A Description of the New World. London, 1651.

Chapter 27 (p. 93–94) relates to "New Holland". The author says he has written from his "own knowledge or good intelligence"; that he intended to produce a fuller volume but was prevented by being captured by "Flemmings and Irish", who took from him "the greater relation."

GROUND BRIEF from Director General Stuyvesant and the provincial council of New Netherland to Sander Leendertsen, dated at Fort Amsterdam, April 23, 1652. Signed by Stuyvesant and Secretary Cornelis van Tienhoven. Manuscript.

The SECOND PART of the Tragedy of Amboyna: or, A true Relation of a Most Bloody, Treacherous and Cruel Design of the Dutch in New Netherlands [*sic*] in America. For the total Ruining and Murthering of

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The SECOND PART of the Tragedy of Amboyna . . , *continued*

the English Colonies in New-England. London, 1653.

The first separate English publication referring to New Netherland.

An excessively rare publication and interesting on that account. Historically it is negligible. It belongs to the "false alarm" literature of the world.

The facsimile brought out by the late Henry F. De Puy is exhibited.

COMMONWEALTH's Great Ship. London, 1653 [*i.e.* 165¾].

It contains a reprint of the alarmist tract, *The Second Part of the Tragedy of Amboyna*, that had made its appearance a few months before.

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Foundation of New Amsterdam as a municipality, February 2, 1653.

The official promulgation by Director General Stuyvesant and the members of his provincial council — La Montagne, Brian Newton, and Cornelis Van Tienhoven, of the grant of municipal government to the people of New Amsterdam, together with the rights and privileges thereof, and the manner of executing justice in the inferior court granted to the city. Also the formal oath of office taken by the city officials.

The New York Public Library has two contemporary manuscript copies of this remarkable document, which had long been sought after and was recognized only a few years ago by Victor H. Paltsits whilst making researches for Stokes's *Iconography of Manhattan Island*, where it is now available in facsimile with an English translation.

FERNOW, BERTHOLD, editor.

The records of New Amsterdam from 1653 to 1674 . . . New York, 1897. 7 v.

Published under the authority of the City of New York.

FERNOW, BERTHOLD, editor, *continued*

These volumes contain English translations by Berthold Fernow and E. B. O'Callaghan of the early Dutch court records and transcripts of the earliest Mayor's court minutes written in English. The originals are in possession of the City Clerk, Municipal Building. There are some gaps in the original records.

Analyzed they are: Minutes of Court of Burgomasters and Schepens of New Amsterdam, 1653–1665; Court of Mayor and Aldermen of New York City, 1665–1673; Restored Court of Burgomasters and Schepens of New Orange, 1673–1674; Administrative minutes of the Burgomasters, March 8, 1657–January 28, 1661. Some ordinances are in v. 1.

For continuation of Administrative minutes of the Burgomasters after 1661, see *Minutes of the Orphanmasters Court*, v. 2 (New York, 1907).

The following representative pages exhibited:

v. 1, p. 48: Form of prayer for opening the city court of New Amsterdam.

v. 1, p. 49: Earliest extant minutes, Thursday, February 6, 1653. A facsimile of the original record also shown.

v. 2, p. 8: Specimen court cases, respecting the ownership of two old Bibles, and complaint of Jacob Barsimson, the first Jewish immigrant.

v. 3, p. 90: Nicasius de Sille, the chief prosecuting officer of the city, accuses his own wife in court and requests a divorce.

v. 4, p. 55: Court record of a fight on Broadway.

v. 5, p. 221 ff: Assessment list, 1665, headed by Peter Stuyvesant.

v. 6, p. 58 ff: Voluntary contributions for the support of the ministry.

EXECUTIVE or administrative minutes of the Burgomasters of New Amsterdam. March 8, 1657, to January 28, 1661.

In: *Records of New Amsterdam*, v. 7, p. 140–267.

Printed here in English translation.

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FERNOW, BERTHOLD, editor

Minutes of the Orphanmasters Court. v. 2. New York, 1907.

This composite volume is misnamed. It contains only English translations of Executive or administrative minutes of the burgomasters of New Amsterdam, February 11, 1661, to May 20, 1664, and Register of Walewyn vander Veen, notary public of New Amsterdam, May 20, 1662, to June, 1664.

AUTOGRAPHS of members of the city government of New Amsterdam and New York previous to the Revolution. Facsimiles from Valentine's *Manual*, 1858.

MEDAL commemorating the establishment of municipal government in New Amsterdam, Feb. 2, 1653. Issued by the St. Nicholas Society, 1903. Made by Tiffany & Co.

SILLE, NICASIUS DE

Letters of Nicasius de Sille, 1654. [Edited by A. J. F. van Laer.]

In: *Quarterly journal* of the New York State Historical Association, v. 1 (1919–20), p. 98–108.

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Original letter from Nicasius de Sille to the Directors at Amsterdam, 1655.

In this letter he complains bitterly of being ignored as a member of the council of New Netherland and mentions his particular grievances.

Extract from a general letter of Director-General Stuyvesant and council to the Directors at Amsterdam, October 30, 1655.

Reveals that when Kieft left New Netherland in 1647, he took with him *many* of the older records.

FERNOW, BERTHOLD, editor

The minutes of the Orphanmasters of New Amsterdam, 1655 to 1663. New York, 1902. [v. 1.]

Covers only October 18, 1655, to November 22, 1663, though the entire manuscript minutes run to April 2, 1668. They have all been translated by E. B. O'Callaghan, but that translation was never printed. The O'Callaghan manuscript and the original minutes are in the custody of the City Clerk, Municipal Building, New York City.

GERARD, JAMES WATSON, JR.

The old Stadt Huys of New Amsterdam. New York, 1875.

A story of the first city tavern which became the first city hall.

Read before the New York Historical Society.

HOME of Adriaen van der Donck, attacked by Indians, September, 1655. Site of present Van Cortlandt mansion. Reproduced from the historical painting by John Ward Dunsmore, owned by Title Guarantee & Trust Company. Printed on back of illustrated wall calendar issued by the Company, 1916.

DONCK, ADRIAEN VAN DER

Beschryvinge van Nieuw-Nederlant. Aemsteldam, 1655.

The Amsterdam Chamber of the Dutch West India Company consented to its publication on February 25, 1655, and as the author died that year in New Netherland, he may never have seen the published work, and certainly could not have been concerned with the second edition of 1656.

The first edition has on p. 9 a restrike of the so-called view of "t'Fort nieuw Amsterdam op de Manhatans", repeated from the plate used in the Hartgers tract of 1651. Two variant issues exist of this edition.

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DONCK, ADRIAEN VAN DER

Beschryvinge van Nieuvv-Nederlant. Aemsteldam, Evert Nieuwenhof, 1656.

The so-called Hartgers view is omitted from this edition and in place thereof is a sectional map with another view derived from the N. J. Visscher map that came out after the publication of the first edition of Van der Donck. This new folded plate is often, though erroneously, called "Vander Donck's Map". He had nothing to do with it.

This second edition is entirely reset and has some changes of matter and also the addition of the "Conditien," or regulations for immigration to New Netherland.

An English translation was made by Jeremiah Johnson, a former mayor of Brooklyn, and published in *Collections* of the New York Historical Society, series 2, v. 1 (1841), p 125–242, which is also shown.

N., N.

America: or An exact Description of the West-Indies. London, 1655.

In part 2, p. 265–270 there is a Description of Novum Belgium or Nieuw-Nederlandt.

Full of absurdities and scarcely a fact.

VRIES, DAVID PIETERSZ. DE

Korte Historiael ende Journaels. Alkmaar, 1655.

Records his various voyages in the four parts of the world. His interest in New Netherland was first brought about by a conversation with Samuel Godijn in 1630, leading to the founding of the patroonship of Zwanendael (now in the state of Delaware). He also had later interests on Staten Island.

An English translation by Henry Cruse Murphy of the parts relating to America appeared in *Collections* of New York Historical Society, series 2, v. 3, p. 9–136, and was privately reprinted in 1853 for James Lenox.

VRIES, DAVID PIETERSZ. DE

Voyages from Holland to America, A.D. 1632 to 1644. Translated from the Dutch, by Henry C. Murphy. New York, 1853.

Korte Historial ende Journaels. Uitgegeven door Dr. H. T. Colenbrander. 's-Gravenhage, 1911.

Publication no. 3 of the Linschoten-Vereeniging.

The first republication of the Dutch text, with a long introduction and notes by Dr. Colenbrander.

A supplement contains unusual maps from originals in Prince Bonaparte's collection.

PAS-CAART van de Suyd-Rivier in Nieu-Nederland. Facsimile reproduction from the unique copy by David Peter de Vries, in the library of Prince Bonaparte. [1655.] 2 sheets, each 9 x 7¼ in.

The chart of the South (Delaware) River is the earliest known survey. The second sheet is a chart of New England, New Netherland, etc. Only 12 copies of these facsimiles were made, about 1895.

They were again reproduced for the supplement of Dr. Colenbrander's edition of De Vries, in 1911.

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Extract from the Register of resolutions of the Dutch West India Company Chamber of Amsterdam, March 9, 1656.

For the better populating of New Netherland with mechanics and farmers, who with their wives and children are to be encouraged with free passage, should they purpose to remain there.

Petition of the Burgomasters and Schepens of New Amsterdam to Director-General Stuyvesant and his council requesting that the city

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NEW NETHERLAND PAPERS, *continued*

may have an independent *schout* or prosecuting officer, which request was peremptorily refused. June, 1656.

Extract from a letter of Director-General Stuyvesant and council to the Directors at Amsterdam, June 10, 1656.

Jewish traders — Ransom of captives from the Indians — Tapsters tax on beer.

Abstract of letters and papers from New Netherland that arrived in the ship *Bever* July, 1657 for the Directors at Amsterdam.

Extract from a letter of Director-General Stuyvesant and council to the Directors at Amsterdam, August 16, 1657.

New Netherland money — Need masons to repair the forts, etc. — Have negroes fit as mechanics — Failure of silk culture — Depredations by the Indians — Defence.

NOVA BELGICA et Anglia Nova.

A sheet map of New Netherland and New England, about 1658, from a Blaeu Atlas. This map is engraved sidewise and should be so read. In upright case.

PASCAARTE van Nieu Nederlandt.

A coast map of New Netherland, published at Amsterdam by Hendrick Doncker, about 1659. In upright case.

PAS CAERTE van Nieu Nederlandt en de Engelsche Virginies van Cabo Cod tot Cabo Canrick. About 1676.

In upright case.

BELGII NOVI. Angliæ Novæ, et partis Virginiæ Novissima Delineatio. Prostant Amstelaedami apud Petrum Schenk, et Gerardum Valk. About 1690.

In upright case.

NOUVELLE HOLLANDE, (à présent Nouvelle-York) Nouvelle-Angleterre et une partie de la Virginie, dressées sur les propres manuscrits de ceux qui en ont fait la découverte, et mises en lumiere par Pierre vander Aa . . . Leide. About 1729.

Map of New Netherland and New England about 1729. In upright case.

NEW NETHERLAND PAPERS

Extracts of papers and letters that arrived from New Netherland in the ship *De Waech* (The Balance), and were read at a meeting of the Directors at Amsterdam on March 26, 1658.

Summary of requests by the city officials of New Amsterdam and action thereon by the Directors at Amsterdam. The memorandum dated May 25, 1658.

Some extracts from the additional writs that arrived with a letter from Director-General Stuyvesant and his council, dated July 23, 1658, and read at a meeting of the Directors at Amsterdam in September following.

One sentence reads: "The wages of the masons at Manhattan or New Amsterdam have been raised."

HEYLYN, PETER

Cosmographie. London, 1660.

The printed title is dated 1657 and the engraved title has 1660. Special titles to the third and fourth books are dated 1656. America is covered by part 2 of the fourth book, where, on p. 1027, there is a description of Novum Belgium or Nieu-Nederlandt, but this has no positive value.

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HEYLYN, PETER

Official report of a census of houses in New Amsterdam taken July 10, 1660 under Nicasius de Sille, Schout of the City of New Amsterdam.

Accompanied by an English translation with interpretations in brackets. The original census is partly in De Sille's handwriting.

REDRAFT of the Castello Plan. New Amsterdam in 1660. [New York,] 1916.

A birdseye view of New Amsterdam, probably surveyed by Jacques Cortelyou, 1660. This re-draft with accessories, which follows the manuscript drawing in the Villa Castello, near Florence, Italy, is by John Wolcott Adams and I. N. Phelps Stokes. Colored copy.

PORTRAIT of Jacob Steendam. Engraved by E. Spanier. Proof.

He was the first poet of New Netherland and dwelt for a while in New Amsterdam.

STEENDAM, JACOB

Den distelvink. Eerste Deel, Minne-sang. Amsterdam, 1649.

't Lof van Nuw-Nederland. Amsterdam, 1661.

The original edition by the first Dutch poet of New Netherland of his Praise of New Netherland.

For selections in English translations see the publications by Henry Cruse Murphy and William Loring Andrews.

MURPHY, HENRY CRUSE

Jacob Steendam, noch vaster. A memoir of the first poet in New Netherland, with his poems descriptive of the colony. The Hague, 1861.

Printed for private distribution.

See also the edition by Andrews.

MURPHY, HENRY CRUSE

Anthology of New Netherland; or, Translations from the early Dutch poets of New York. New York, 1865.

Dutch texts with English translations of "the earliest poems written within the bounds of the State of New York", namely by Jacob Steendam, Henricus Selyns, and Nicasius de Sille.

ANDREWS, WILLIAM LORING

The first poet of New Netherland. In: *The Bookman*, v. 19 (1904), p. 464–471.

Jacob Steendam, noch vaster; a memoir of the first poet in New Netherland . . . New York, 1908.

With translations of his poems by Henry Cruse Murphy.

Edition limited to 115 copies.

A DESCRIPTION of the Towne of Mannados: or New-Amsterdam as it was in September, 1661.

The so-called "Duke's Plan." Copied from an original colored drawing in the British Museum for George H. Moore in 1858, and lithographed for Valentine's *Manual*, 1859.

NEW AMSTERDAM as it was in September, 1661.

Reproduction of a page of the recently discovered manuscript of Description of the Towne of Mannadens in New Netherland.

Original manuscript in Royal Society of London.

Printed in its entirety in Jameson's *Narratives of New Netherland*, p. 417–424. Also exact photographic reproduction of the so-called "Duke's Plan", reduced, showing New Amsterdam as it was in September, 1661.

KORT verhael van Nieuw-Nederlants gelegentheit, deughden, natuer-

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KORT verhael . . . , *continued*

lijke voorrechten, en byzondere bequaemheidt ter bevolkingh. [Amsterdam,] 1662.

There is also another issue of this rare item entitled: *Zeekere Vrye-Voorslagen*, with the imprint of Amsterdam, 1663, of which the only known copy is in the John Carter Brown Library, Providence. Both editions have 84 pages.

This tract gives a concise account of the situation, virtues, and natural advantages of New Netherland and its particular fitness for colonization. It is an argument for the Dutch title to New Netherland, has value as a colonization tract, and for its description of the country, especially on the Delaware River, and the account it gives of the Indians.

New Amsterdam is mentioned on p. 18.

REMONSTRANTIE, vande bewinthebberen der Nederlantsche West-Indische Compagnie, aende d'Heeren Staten Generael over verscheyde specien van Tyrannye, ende gewelt, door de Engelsche in Nieuw-Nederlant. Schidam, 1663. Broadside.

Only two copies are known, one at the University of Leyden and the other at the John Carter Brown Library, Providence. Photostat from the latter copy.

The Remonstrance was made by the Directors of the Dutch West India Company to the Lords of the States General, charging acts of tyranny and violence committed by the English in New Netherland against the people in the Dutch province, and therefore they asked reparation and justice. Specifically, the complaints related to the New England invasion of the Dutch settlements on Long Island and the unsettled boundary disputes with Connecticut.

There is an English translation in Asher's *Bibliographical essay*, p. 208 ff.

There exists also an eight-page pamphlet, *Naerder Klagh-Vertoogh* (A further complaint) printed in 1664, which is even more interesting. This, too, is translated in Asher, p. 210 ff.

STUYVESANT, PETER

Letter of Director-General Stuyvesant of New Netherland dated June 9, 1663 (N.S.) To Gov. John Winthrop of Connecticut.

Stuyvesant commends his brother-in-law, Nicolaes Varlet, to the favor of Winthrop, and expresses the hope of preserving a firm peace and neighborly amity between Winthrop and himself.

Original lent by Bronson Winthrop, Esq.

WINTHROP, JOHN

Letter of Gov. John Winthrop of Connecticut dated at Hartford, June 17, 1663 (O.S.) to Director-General Stuyvesant.

Winthrop's reply to Stuyvesant's letter about Varlet, reciprocating also the sentiments expressed with respect to the continuance of a firm peace and union between them.

Original lent by Bronson Winthrop, Esq.

GROUND BRIEF of land at Canaresingh [Canarsie] to Govert Loockermans, signed by Director General Peter Stuyvesant and Secretary Cornelis van Ruijven, dated May 20, 1664. With paper embossed seal of New Netherland.

WINTHROP, JOHN

The original signed draft letter written by Gov. John Winthrop of Connecticut and signed also with approval of the Royal Commissioners, Richard Nicolls, Robert Carr, George Cartwright, dated at Gravesant, August 22, 1664 (O.S.), advising Stuyvesant to surrender himself and all his people to the obedience of the English king, in order to "avoid the effusion of blood".

It was the original letter, copied from this draft, sent to Stuyvesant, which threw him into such a rage that, when questioned about it, he tore up the letter. The original letter

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received and torn up does not exist. The original draft is therefore of the highest interest. It at one time was part of the files of original Winthrop Papers.

Lent by Bronson Winthrop, Esq.

Original first rough draft of letter to Peter Stuyvesant August 22, 1664 (O.S.).

Photograph of this highly interesting letter bearing upon the surrender of New Netherland, from the original holograph copy in the Winthrop Papers at the Massachusetts Historical Society.

ARTYKELEN, Van't overgaen van Nieuw-Nederlandt. Op den 27 Augustij, Oude Stijl, Anno 1664.

Original Dutch broadside of the Articles of the surrender of New Netherland to the English, evidently used as a poster in Holland.

Also shown in Dutch in the *Hollandtze Mercurius*, Deel 15, p. 153–154.

JOSSELYN, JOHN

An account of two voyages to New-England. London, 1674.

It has some references to New York in 1664 on p. 153–154, 272–273. They are curious yet have no particular historical value.

JOSSELYN, JOHN, *continued*

There was a reissue in 1675, and there are reprints; the best, with annotations, was issued in a limited edition at Boston in 1865.

NEW YORK HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Commemoration of the conquest of New Netherland, on its two hundredth anniversary. New York, 1864.

The publication includes an historical oration by John Romeyn Brodhead, with an appendix of documents on p. 59–73, and the proceedings of the Society's celebration.

SCHOOLCRAFT, HENRY L.

The capture of New Amsterdam.

In: *English historical review*, v. 22 (1907), p. 674–693.

An economic interpretation which goes into the diplomatic phases of the matter. He says: "The war itself grew out of the struggle for trade which was bequeathed to the two countries by the war of 1652".

REDWAY, JACQUES W.

Some side lights on the passing of New Netherland viewed from Westchester county.

In: *Proceedings* of the New York State Historical Society, v. 9 (1910), p. 152–159.

THE ENGLISH INTERREGNUM

ADMINISTRATIONS OF

RICHARD NICOLLS: 1664–1668 AND FRANCIS LOVELACE: 1668–1673

De NOORD Rivier anders R. Manhattans off Hudsons Rivier Genaamt in t'Groodt.

The North River otherwise the River Manhattans or Hudsons River, and also inset of De Versche Rivier (Fresh Water or Connecticut River). This map appeared originally in Van Keulen's Atlas about 1685. Lithographic facsimile. New York, 1854.

MCKINLEY, ALBERT EDWARD

The transition from Dutch to English rule in New York. A study in political imitation.

In: *American historical review*, v. 6 (1901), p. 693–724.

New Netherland — The English Interregnum: Administrations of Nicolls and Lovelace, 1664–73, continued

PALTSITS, VICTOR HUGO

The transition from Dutch to English government in the City of New York.

In: John B. Pine, editor, *Seal and flag of the City of New York.* New York, 1915.

Prepared for the City's official celebration of the 250th anniversary of the event, June 24, 1915.

NEW AMSTERDAM land records.

Original Dutch ground brief from Peter Stuyvesant and the Council of New Netherland to Andries Rees, a cadet of the West India Company and a member of the Rattle Watch or town police, also a tavernkeeper of New Amsterdam, dated May 17, 1664. With fine impression of the paper and wax seal of New Netherland, signed by Stuyvesant and by Secretary Cornelis van Ruijven. The house lot was on the east side of William (then called Smee) Street, south of the fortified wall or present Wall Street.

Original confirmation of the above patent, given to Rees by signature of Governor Richard Nicolls, June 4, 1667.

Original deed of conveyance from Andries Rees to Thomas Davis, dated May 26, 1680, for the aforesaid house and lot.

These three pieces reveal the realty practice from original grant to disposition to another party by conveyance.

Original confirmation from Governor Richard Nicolls to Andries Rees of a house lot lying in the Smiths Valley beyond the Strand Gate of the city of New York, originally purchased in 1659 by Andries Jochemsen from the Burgomasters and Court of New Amsterdam, dated June 4, 1667.

PLAN of Manhattan Island and environs, with inset plan of New York City, circa 1665. The so-called Nicolls map, from the original pen and ink drawing in the British Museum. Reproduced as one sheet in full size of original. Published in 1910 by the State of New York . . . to accompany *Minutes of the Executive Council of the Province of New York,* v. 1.

PALTSITS, VICTOR HUGO, editor

Minutes of the Executive Council of the Province of New York. Administration of Francis Lovelace, 1668–1673. Albany, 1910. 2 v.

These English documents are a bridge between the first surrender of New Netherland in 1664 and the return of the Dutch in 1673. There is a good deal in them that bears upon the Dutch in New York City.

Publication of the State Historian of New York.

DENTON, DANIEL

A Brief Description of New-York: Formerly Called New-Netherlands. London, 1670.

Two copies are exhibited, both owned by The New York Public Library. Of about twenty extant copies only five have the title-page unmutilated at the bottom, and one of these fine copies, the gift of George F. Baker, Jr., is shown.

The name "New Netherlands" used by the English is incorrect. The Dutch always used the singular, because they considered "New Netherland" a single province.

The first separate account of New York in English.

A Brief Description of New York . . . Edited by John Pennington. Philadelphia, 1845.

In: *Proceedings* of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania, v. 1, no. 1 (March, 1845).

This is the first reprint. Also issued separately.

New Netherland — The English Interregnum: Administrations of Nicolls and Lovelace, 1664–73, continued

DENTON DANIEL

A Brief Description of New York. New York, 1845.

This is a new edition by Gabriel Furman, forming no. 1 of Gowans's *Bibliotheca Americana*, with Penington's introduction.

A Brief Description of New York. Cleveland, 1902.

With a bibliographical introduction by Felix Neumann. Issued as no. 1 of the Burrows Brothers Reprints.

NOWEL AMSTERDAM en Lamerique, 1672.

Not a picture of New Amsterdam, but a fictitious picture by Jollain, and a fair sample of manufactured pictures. Early American illustrations often have as little value as this one with respect to truth.

PALTSITS, VICTOR HUGO

Daniel Denton's Description of New York in 1670.

In: The New York Public Library. *Two important gifts . . . by Mr. George F. Baker, Jr.* New York, 1924. p. 9–14.

An account of Denton's Description of New York with a sketch of the author and an analysis of his book, together with a complete census of the known copies thereof.

Also in *Bulletin* of New York Public Library, v. 28 (1924), p. 599–604.

APPOINTMENT of Matthias Nicolls, John Rider, and William Crichlow as administrators of the estate of Thomas Badgard, merchant, who died intestate, issued by Governor Francis Lovelace, dated "at Forte James in New Yorke ye 15 day of October in Anno Dni 1672." With fine red wax seal.

NEW NETHERLAND

LAST DUTCH ADMINISTRATION: ANTONY COLVE: 1673–1674

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Secret instruction for the Dutch squadron, October 12, 1672.

This was the expedition commanded by Cornelis Evertsen, who had part in the recapture of New York in 1673.

Second secret instruction for the Dutch squadron, October 12, 1672.

A part of the plan devised was to cruise "along the coasts of Virginia, New Netherland, without forgetting Newfoundland, subsequently capturing and ruining there whatever shall be possible."

APPOINTMENT of curators of the chattels of Nicolaes Davids by Governor General Antony Colve, dated at Fort Willem Hendrick, October 27, 1673, signed by Colve and attested by Secretary Nicolas Baijard. Manuscript.

MINUTES of Council of the administrations of Commanders Evertsen and Benckes, and of Antony Colve, governor of New Netherland. 1673 and 1674.

In: *Documents relating to the colonial history of the state of New York*, v. 2.

MELTON, EDWARD

Zeldzaame en gedenkwaardige Zee- en Land-Reizen, 1660–1677. Amsterdam, 1681.

The account of New Netherland, on p. 136–168, is derived from Van der Donck and Montanus.

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MELTON, EDWARD, *continued*

Melton has virtually no independent historical value.

Reprinted with a new preface at Amsterdam, 1702, of which there are two issues, again at Amsterdam, 1705, with title reading: *Aenmerkenswaardige en Zeldzame West-Indische Zee- en Land-Reizen.*

SELYNS, HENRICUS

Domine Henricus Selyns' records. In: *Year book* of the Holland Society of New York, 1916, p. 1–103.

EEKHOF, ALBERT

De Noord-Amerikaansche predikant Henricus Selijns in de gemeente Waverveen (1666–1682). 's-Gravenhage, 1915.

Separate issue from the *Nederlandsch archief voor kerkgeschiedenis*, deel XII.

The most recent study of Selyns, covering the period of his pastorate at Waverveen in the province of Utrecht, the period coming between his first and second sojourns in America.

Selyns came to New Amsterdam first in June, 1660, later that year was minister in Brooklyn and also preached at Stuyvesant's Bowery chapel. He left New Netherland some weeks before the surrender of 1664 to the English. In August, 1682 he came back for his last pastorate in New York.

SHEPHERD, WILLIAM ROBERT

The passing of New Amsterdam. New York, 1912.

A popular address founded principally on the printed *Records of New Amsterdam*, presented before the Society of Colonial Wars in the State of New York, March 18, 1912, and issued as *Publication* no. 21 by the Society.

TOTIUS NEOBELGII nova et accuratissima tabula. [With inset view of New Amsterdam.] [1673.] Colored.

TOTIUS NEOBELGII, *continued*

It is the Restitutio map. The view has many interesting features here depicted for the first time in an engraved picture of New Amsterdam.

Other reissues exhibited are the Carolus Allard, probably fourth state, after 1674 (facsimile); the Reinier and Joshua Ottens, probably about 1740; and Tobias Conrad Lotter, among the last appearances of the map and view.

ALLARD, CAREL

Orbis habitabilis oppida et vestitus. Amsterdam [circa 1700–10].

A collection of 100 views of the chief cities and towns of the world, with descriptive notes by Dr. Ludolph Smids. Full views engraved by T. Doesburgh and costumed figures with view engraved by A. Meijer.

Plate 78 is a full colored view of "Nieu Amsterdam al[s][alias] New Yorck." Represents the town after 1673.

NIEU AMSTERDAM — al[s]. New Yorck. Carolus Allard exc. cum Priv. ord. Holl. et Westfr. Line engraving. Uncolored.

Loose print from Carel Allard's *Orbis habitabilis oppida* (Amsterdam, circa 1700–1710).

NIEU AMSTERDAM al. [alias.] New York. Carolus Allard excudit cum Privilegio ordinum Hollandiæ et Westfrisiæ. Uncolored.

Plate 79 from the *Orbis habitabilis oppida* of Carolus Allard.

In upright case.

SCHENK, PIETER

Hecatompolis sive Totius orbis Terrarum Oppida Nobiliora Centum exquisite collecta atque eleganter depicta. 1702.

The Schenk view in the original collection of a hundred views of cities is similar to the Allard.

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NIEU AMSTERDAM, een stedeken in Noord Amerikaes Nieu Hollant, op het eilant Mankattan [*sic*]: namaels Nieu jork genaemt, toen het geraekte in 't gebiet der Engelschen . . . [Also 3 lines in Latin.] Pet. Schenk Amsteld, C. P.

Plate from Pieter Schenk's *Hecatompolis*, 1702.

In upright case.

NEW YORK a City in N. America inhabited by English and Dutch subject to the K. of England.

Shows a three-master and other vessels in foreground. Line engraving. 18th century. Copy of Schenk view, with alterations.

In upright case.

ROMAN, JAN, publisher

Afbeeldinge van een-hondert der voornaamste en sterkste Steden in Europa. Amsterdam, 1752.

Plates executed by Peter Schenk and here reissued. Singularly enough, plate 92 still shows in 1752 a view of New Amsterdam of nearly a century earlier.

DANCKAERTS, JASPER

Journal of a voyage to New York . . . 1679–80. Translated from the original manuscript in Dutch . . . and edited by Henry C. Murphy. Brooklyn, 1867.

The original Dutch manuscript, now owned by the Long Island Historical Society, turned up in Amsterdam and was bought in 1864 by Henry Cruse Murphy. It is a journal of the travels of two Labadists, followers of the theological doctrines of Jean de Labadie, who came over to America to find a suitable locality in which to establish a community, settling finally on a tract in Bohemia Manor, Maryland.

DANCKAERTS, JASPER, *continued*

They landed in New York City on September 23, 1679, and visited places in New York, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, and Massachusetts. The journal records what they saw, heard, or thought. It is no doubt valuable in some parts, yet needs to be discounted in other parts.

The Dutch text has not been, but should be, published.

This is the first publication of this journal, issued as *Memoirs* of Long Island Historical Society, v. 1 (Brooklyn, 1867).

100 copies were also issued separately in royal octavo and on thick paper.

Journal . . . 1679–1680. Edited by B. B. James and J. F. Jameson. New York, 1913.

Murphy's translation slightly revised, with some omissions. Has a valuable introduction and more numerous annotations than Murphy's edition.

BIRDSEYE view of New York as seen from Brooklyn Heights, 1679. Drawn by Jasper Danckaerts.

The original sketch is in the Danckaerts manuscript Journal in the possession of The Long Island Historical Society.

Gelatine plate reproduction, original size, made for I. N. Phelps Stokes, Esq. In upright case.

SOUTH prospect of the City of New York. By William Burgis, 1717. Lithographic reduction. Copyright by Joseph F. Sabin, 1898.

Only two copies of the original engraving of this first issue of the plate are known. The reproduction is from the copy in the New York Historical Society.

WATER-COLOR enlargement of a portion of the Burgis view of New York, 1717, showing Fulton Ferry on the Brooklyn side.

Purchased in 1901 from Joseph F. Sabin.

NEW YORK CELEBRATIONS

1914–1915–1924

CEREMONY inaugurating the tercentenary of the chartered commerce of New York, held on Staten Island . . . March 27, 1914. Folder.

NEW YORK COMMERCIAL TERCENTENARY COMMISSION

1614–1914. Commemorative meeting upon the 300th anniversary of the granting, by the States General of the United Netherlands, of the first charter for trading to what is now the State of New York. At the Hotel Astor, New York City, March 27, 1914. [Program.]

Invitation circular to the commemorative meeting at the Hotel Astor, March 27, 1914.

The commercial tercentenary of New York. 1614–1914. Containing a brief history of the beginning of the regularly chartered commerce of New Netherland and the permanent settlement of what is now the State of New York. [By Edward Hagaman Hall.] New York, 1914.

Reprinted from the *First annual report* of the Commission.

The CITY of New York commemoration of the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the installation of the first Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of New York on June 24, 1665 . . . June 24, 1915. Order of the day.

INVITATION from the Mayor to the ceremonies commemorating the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the installation of the first Mayor and Board of Aldermen, held June 24, 1915.

HALL, EDWARD HAGAMAN

The New York commercial tercentenary. 1614–1914.

In: *Annual report* of the American Scenic and Historic Preservation Society for 1914, p. 441–500.

Seal and flag of the City of New York.

In: *Annual report* of the American Scenic and Historic Preservation Society for 1915, p. 819–852.

Opened at plate 17, showing the New York Commercial Tercentenary official medal

HERBERT, VICTOR

The orange, white & blue. Music by Victor Herbert. [Words by John B. Pine.] New York [1915].

Prepared for use in the public schools of New York City during the celebration of June 24, 1915, and the adoption of the official flag and seal of the city.

MINIATURE copy of the new city flag and official badge, for use at the exercises to celebrate the adoption of the city's official flag and the restoration of the city's ancient seal, June 24, 1915.

PINE, JOHN B.

The orange, white and blue. June 24, 1915. [New York, 1915.]

Words only.

On the back cover is the proclamation of Mayor John Purroy Mitchel, regarding the ceremonies at the raising of the new city flag.

CARD of admission to City Hall for the ceremonies on June 24, 1915.

New York Celebrations, 1914–15–24, cont'd

New York City. Art Commission

On the adoption of an official flag by the City of New York and the restoration of the ancient corporate seal. Report prepared by a committee of the Art Commission Associates for submission to the Art Commission of the City of New York. January, 1915. New York, 1915.

New York. Board of Aldermen

Report of the special committee of the Board of Aldermen on the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the installation of the first Mayor and Board of Aldermen . . . June 24, 1665, and the adoption of the official city flag, June 24, 1915. New York [1915].

Invitation from the Mayor to meet the Governor of the State of New York at the City Hall, June 24, 1915.

Invitation from the Mayor to attend the ceremony of raising the new official city flag at the City Hall, June 24, 1915.

New York City corporation celebration, commemorating the 250th anniversary of the installation of the first Mayor and Board of Aldermen and the adoption of the official city flag.

In: *Annual report* of the American Scenic and Historic Preservation Society for 1916, p. 443–486.

Card of Admission to the meeting in preparation for New York's Tricentennial at the Great Hall of the College of the City of New York, March 28, 1924.

The City of New York. 1665 — 1915. The old seal. [On back cover: The City of New York. 1665 — 1915. The new flag.] [New York, 1915.]

Description of the new official flag and the ancient seal.

The Huguenot-Walloon New Netherland Commission, Inc.

1624–1924. [Outline of plans for the tercentenary celebration.] New York [1924].

Huguenot-Walloon New Netherland Commission, Inc.

The Huguenot half dollar and the New Netherland tercentenary. New York [1924].

Huguenot-Walloon tercentenary half dollar.

Invitation from the Staten Island Committee, Huguenot-Walloon Tercentenary to join the historical pilgrimage through Staten Island, May 17, 1924.

Invitation from the Huguenot-Walloon New Netherland Tercentenary Commission, Inc., to attend the celebrations held May 17–22, 1924.

Invitation to the dedication of the Huguenot Church, Huguenot Park, S. I., on May 18, 1924.

Reformed Protestant Dutch Church of the Huguenots, Huguenot Park, S. I.

Dedication week services . . . May 18 to 25, 1924. [Program.]

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